

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE

One Hundred and Eighth

Annual Report

of the

Town Officers



of the

Town of Fairhaven

for the

Year Ending December 31, 1919

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Fairhaven

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER,

COLLECTOR OF TAXES,

AUDITORS,

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,

BOARD OF HEALTH,

SEWER COMMISSIONERS,

PARK COMMISSIONERS,

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT,

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS,

TREE WARDEN,

FIRE ENGINEERS,

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE REPORT OF THE

MILLICENT LIBRARY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1919.

PRINTED IN FAIRHAVEN
AT THE STAR OFFICE.

LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS.

For the Year 1919.

Town Clerk

CHARLES F. SWIFT.

Town Treasurer

CHARLES F. SWIFT.

Collector

JOHN H. STETSON.

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

JOHN I. BRYANT,

THOMAS W. WHITFIELD,

ISAAC N. BABBITT.

Board of Health

JOSEPH B. PECK,	Term expires 1922
LESTER W. HORNE, M. D.,	Term expires 1921
CLARENCE A. TERRY,	Term expires 1920

Assessors

CLIFTON A. HACKER,	Term expires 1922
JOSEPH B. PECK,	Term expires 1921
WM. H. BLY,	Term expires 1920

School Committee

ALTON B. PAULL,	Term expires 1922
LYMAN C. BAULDRY,	Term expires 1922
LEWIS E. BENTLEY,	Term expires 1921
H. HOWARD STILLMAN,	Term expires 1921
DANIEL W. DEANE,	Term expires 1920
DANIEL W. KENDRICK,	Term expires 1920

Sewer Commissioners

G. WINSTON VALENTINE,	Term expires 1922
NORMAN M. PAULL, (resigned)	Term expires 1921
WM. J. FITZSIMMONS,	Term expires 1920
FRANK W. MORSE.	

Park Commissioners

PERCY I. FLETCHER, (resigned)	Term expires 1922
HENRY L. WILSON,	Term expires 1921
GEORGE E. SYLVIA,	Term expires 1920

Superintendent of Streets

THOMAS W. WHITFIELD.

Foreman of Streets

WILLIAM H. BRYANT.

Inspector of Animals

WILLIAM H. SCHROEDER.

Auditors

NATHANIEL POPE
CHARLES E. SHURTLEFF.

Tree Warden

PETER MURRAY.

Constables

ALBERT C. AIKEN,
WALTER H. FRANCIS.

Fence Viewers

ROBERT W. PEASE,
CLARENCE W. HAMMOND.

REPORTS

OF THE

COLLECTOR and TREASURER

JOHN H. STETSON, TAX COLLECTOR, IN ACCOUNT
WITH THE TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN,
DECEMBER 31, 1919.

Dr.

Tax List,	\$147,293.56
Additional Assessments,	3,306.47
Street Railway excise tax,	3,520.80
Interest Collected, 1916,	\$2.42
Interest Collected, 1917,	495.55
Interest Collected, 1918,	305.35
Interest Collected, 1919,	107.03
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	910.35
Unpaid taxes, 1916,	78.22
Unpaid taxes, 1917,	7,689.70
Unpaid taxes, 1918,	17,840.20
Cash on hand,	15.12

\$180,654.42

Cr.

Paid Town Treasurer,	\$152,445.32
Remitted and abated, 1919,	996.49
Remitted and abated, 1918,	555.00
Remitted and abated, 1917,	767.70
Remitted and abated, 1916,	57.76
Unpaid taxes, 1919,	19,283.84
Unpaid taxes, 1918,	6,226.51
Unpaid taxes, 1917,	321.80

\$180,654.42

JOHN H. STETSON, SEWER TAX COLLECTOR, IN
ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN,

DECEMBER 31, 1919.

Dr.	Oxford Sewer Extension Sewer Assessments.	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$176.00	Paid Town Treasurer, \$49.00
Interest Collected,	8.08	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 135.08
	<u>\$184.08</u>	<u>\$184.08</u>
Dr.	Southeast Extension Gravity Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$278.74	Paid Town Treasurer, \$52.75
Interest Collected,	2.15	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 228.14
	<u>\$280.89</u>	<u>\$280.89</u>
Dr.	North End Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$327.86	Paid Town Treasurer, \$149.29
Interest Collected,	12.05	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 190.62
	<u>\$339.91</u>	<u>\$339.91</u>
Dr.	Linden Park Sewer Assessments.	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$36.05	Paid Town Treasurer, \$41.45
Interest Collected,	5.40	
	<u>\$41.45</u>	<u>\$41.45</u>
Dr.	Laurel and Maple Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$17.33	Paid Town Treasurer, \$122.24
Interest Collected,	8.92	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 65.01
	<u>\$187.25</u>	<u>\$187.25</u>
Dr.	Adams and Spring Streets Sewer Assessments.	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$232.35	Paid Town Treasurer, \$76.67
Interest Collected,	18.74	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 174.42
	<u>\$251.09</u>	<u>\$251.09</u>
Dr.	Main Street Extension Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$54.68	Paid Town Treasurer, \$56.68
Interest Collected,	2.00	
	<u>\$56.68</u>	<u>\$56.68</u>
Dr.	Sycamore Street Extension No. 1, Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$13.02	Paid Town Treasurer, \$13.02
Dr.	Pleasant Street Extension Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$24.06	Paid Town Treasurer, \$ 11.03
Interest Collected,	.50	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920, 13.53
	<u>\$24.56</u>	<u>\$24.56</u>

Dr.	Southwest Gravity	Sewer Assessments.	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$1,785.87	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$592.84
Interest Collected,	35.52	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	\$1,228.55
	<u>\$1,821.39</u>		<u>\$1,821.39</u>

Dr.	Huttleston Avenue Gravity (Linden Ave.)	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$44.47	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$44.47
	<u>\$44.47</u>		<u>\$44.47</u>

Dr.	Huttleston Ave. Gravity (No. William St.)	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$5.35	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$5.65
Interest Collected,	.30		
	<u>\$5.65</u>		<u>\$5.65</u>

Dr.	Bridge St.-Huttleston Ave. Gravity	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$49.57	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	\$49.57
	<u>\$49.57</u>		<u>\$49.57</u>

Dr.	North End Gravity (Garrison St.)	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$414.88	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$97.63
Interest Collected,	.69	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	317.94
	<u>\$415.57</u>		<u>\$415.57</u>

Dr.	Sycamore Street Extension (North End)	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$217.95	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$43.73
	<u>\$217.95</u>	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	174.22
			<u>\$217.95</u>

Dr.	Hitch Street Drain	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$308.93	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$76.54
Interest Collected,	2.50	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	234.89
	<u>\$311.43</u>		<u>311.43</u>

Dr.	Ball Street Oxford	Sewer Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$368.88	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$327.49
Interest Collected,	15.91	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	57.30
	<u>\$384.79</u>		<u>\$384.79</u>

Dr.	Green St.-Huttleston Ave. Sewer	Assessments,	Cr.
Unpaid Jan. 1, 1919,	\$692.35	Paid Town Treasurer,	\$432.42
Interest Collected,	18.32	Unpaid Jan. 1, 1920,	278.25
	<u>\$710.67</u>		<u>\$710.67</u>

TOWN TREASURER'S BALANCE SHEET,

DEC. 31, 1919.

Debit Balances.

Special Appropriations.

New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Bonds,	\$29,000.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge (Maintenance),	400.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge (Maintenance),	4,400.00
Howland Road Sewer,	1,500.00
Howland Road Sewer,	300.00
Motor Chemical Wagon,	1,680.00
Refunding Notes,	12,400.00
Oxford Schoolhouse Addition,	21,000.00
Fort Street Extension,	600.00
Green and Watson Street Sewer,	4,500.00
Farmfield Street,	1,500.00
Adams Street,	4,000.00
Green Street Sewer,	400.00
Bridge Street School,	34,200.00
Sconticut Neck Road,	2,000.00
Garrison Street Sewer,	930.00
Sycamore Street Sewer,	10,000.00
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	\$128,810.00
Sconticut Neck Road,	1,875.78
Bridge Street,	240.62
Sewer Maintenance,	1,541.04
Police Department,	167.10
Poor Department,	426.86
Park Department,	320.86
Highways,	3,677.34
Cash Balance on hand,	36,015.80
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	\$173,075.40

BALANCE SHEET, DEC. 31, 1919.

Credit Balances.

Alden Road,	\$125.00
Fort Street Extension,	1,519.32
Farmfield Street,	7.65
Adams Street,	285.71
Granolithic Sidewalks,	997.50
Wilding Street,	125.00
Howland Road,	310.17
Fire Hose Account,	58.50
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Bonds,	29,000.00
Moth Account,	422.05
Sewer Construction Account,	3,394.84
Shell Fish Commission,	963.60
Industrial School Tuition,	1,863.68
Plotting Plans,	350.00
Bridge Street School,	47.36
Sycamore Street Sewer,	6,957.67
Town Hall,	554.95
Street Lights,	37.52
Hydrants,	210.50
Salaries,	69.26
Interest Account,	1,308.17
Tree Warden,	21.97
High School,	2,879.36
Notes Payable,	99,810.00
Sewer Connections,	62.37
General Incidentals,	14,299.13
Schools,	2,100.47
Board of Health,	785.34
Fire Department,	548.76
Mothers' Aid,	3,959.55
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	\$173,075.40

CHARLES F. SWIFT, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT
WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

Receipts.

Dr.

Jan. 1, 1919, Balance Cash on hand, \$13,401.27

Highway Department.

State Treasurer, Street Railway Tax, \$3,112.35
North Green Street, for Stone, 190.12

3,302.47

Schools.

County Treasurer, 1918, Dog Fund, \$751.96
O. H. Toothaker, supplies sold, 10.81
John McCullough, sale of paper, 17.50
Sundry Persons, glass breakage, 10.25

790.52

Abner Pease School Fund.

Board of Selectmen, Trustees, interest on fund, 343.92

Edmund Anthony, Jr., Trust Fund.

Board of Selectmen, Trustees, interest on fund, 455.06

H. H. Rogers Trust Fund.

Board of Selectmen, Trustees, interest on fund, 4,624.12

Industrial School Tuition.

State Treasurer, half of 1918 tuition repaid, 576.00

James Ricketts Trust Fund.

Board of Selectmen, Trustees, interest on fund, 64.08

Wilding Street Sewer.

D. P. Valley, for sewer construction,	850.00
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Town Hall.

Entertainments, \$165.00; rents, \$310.00,	475.00
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General Incidentals.

State Treasurer, Corporation Taxes,	\$1,294.12
State Treasurer, Bank Taxes,	1,138.34
State Treasurer, Income Taxes,	2,359.00
State Treasurer, General School Fund,	6,076.66
State Treasurer, State Aid,	2,893.00
State Treasurer, Soldiers' Exemptions,	126.89
Mina Jacobs, sale of land on Old Town Farm,	500.00
Fairhaven Mills, sale of land on Spooner's Point,	5,000.00
Sundry Persons, scallop permits,	103.00
Sundry Persons, fish trap licenses,	35.00
Sundry Persons, quahaug permits,	104.00
Sundry Persons, peddlers' licenses,	72.00
Sundry Persons, junk dealers' licenses,	89.75
Sundry Persons, sundry licenses,	8.00
	19,799.76

Loans.

Loans in Anticipation of Taxes,	\$50,000.00
Sycamore Street Sewer Loan,	10,000.00
	60,000.00

Sewer Maintenance.

Sundry Persons, for pump hire,	6.00
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Police Department.

W. R. Mitchell, clerk, court fines,	\$58.93	
County Treasurer, repaid for killing dogs,	50.00	
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		108.93

Poor Department.

From various cities and towns, aid repaid,	\$435.94	
State Treasurer, state poor, aid repaid,	1,438.12	
School Department, transportation of scholars,	400.00	
Rent of pasture,	\$20.00	
Board,	31.50	
Produce sold,	75.25	126.75
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		2,400.81

Mothers' Aid.

State Treasurer, aid repaid,	587.89
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Interest Account.

Fairhaven National Bank, interest on deposits,	138.41
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Tree Warden.

Town of Mattapoisett, for spraying trees,	\$200.00	
Riverside Cemetery, for spraying trees,	85.00	
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		285.00

Soldiers' Relief.

Town of Mattapoisett, aid repaid,	24.00
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High School.

Farmers Loan & Trust Co., trustees, interest on Rogers Fund,	\$27,000.00	
Town of Mattapoisett, for tuition,	2,000.00	
Town of Acushnet, for tuition,	975.00	
Town of Rochester, for tuition,	225.00	
J. G. McDonald, for tuition,	20.00	
A. B. Kimball, supplies sold,	99.35	
School Department, for lunches,	5.40	
High School Lunch Dept., for lunches sold,	450.00	
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Sewer Connections.

Sundry Persons, for sewer connections,		2,541.80
Board of Health.		
City of New Bedford, repaid for board,	\$226.86	
Sundry Persons, repaid for board,	51.50	
City of New Bedford, repaid for aid furnished,	376.59	
W. M. Lannan, slaughterhouse license,	50.00	
Sundry Persons, milk licenses,	9.00	
Sundry Persons, alcohol licenses,	6.00	
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Sewer Taxes.

J. H. Stetson, collector, for sewer assessments collected,	2,192.90
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Tax Collector.

J. H. Stetson, Tax Collector, for taxes collected,	151,445.32
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	\$296,907.96

Payments.

	Dr.
Alden Road,	\$375.00
Adams Street,	764.25
Bridge Street,	2,240.62
Green Street,	1,467.77
Wilding Street,	575.00
Howland Road,	1,689.83
Fire Hose Account,	977.50
Coggeshall Street Bridge, (maintenance and repairs),	541.05
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge, (maintenance and repairs),	2,525.45
Moth Account,	240.08
Sewer Construction,	23.20
Industrial School Tuition,	681.20
James Ricketts Trust Fund,	3.00
Wilding Street Sewer,	850.00
Plotting Plans,	150.00
Sycamore Street Sewer	3,042.33
Town Hall,	3,115.07
Community Nurse,	500.00
Street Lights,	3,485.41
Hydrants,	2,775.00
Sewer Maintenance,	8,886.81
Police Department,	1,633.21
Poor Department,	7,591.51
Salaries,	4,909.95
Interest,	6,741.23
Tree Warden,	2,426.67
State Aid,	2,008.00
Soldiers' Relief,	190.45
Park Department,	2,288.29
High School,	28,001.90
Schools,	44,724.05
Sewer Connections,	2,689.45
Highways,	17,853.31

General Incidentals,	15,452.98
State Treasurer, State Tax,	13,971.00
State Treasurer, Bank Tax,	1,367.55
State Treasurer, State Highway Repairs,	245.15
State Treasurer, Special State Tax,	838.20
Board of Health,	2,753.00
Fire Department,	4,457.06
Mothers' Aid,	1,099.62
Loans in Anticipation of Taxes,	50,000.00

Town Debt.

Bridge Bond,	\$1,000.00
Oxford Sewer Note,	300.00
Howland Road Sewer Note,	300.00
Adams Street Note,	500.00
Oxford School Note,	1,400.00
Bridge Street School Note,	1,900.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Note,	1,100.00
North End Sewer Note,	500.00
Fort Street Extension Note,	300.00
Green and Watson Street Sewer Note,	500.00
Scotcut Neck Road Note,	1,000.00
Green Street Sewer Note,	400.00
Farmfield Street Note,	500.00
Motor Chemical Note,	560.00
Garrison Street Sewer Note,	310.00
Refunding Notes,	2,400.00
Coggeshall Street Bridge Note,	1,370.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Note,	400.00
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	\$14,740.00
Balance Cash on hand,	\$36,015.80
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	\$296,907.96

AUDITORS' REPORT.

Fairhaven, Mass., Jan. 19, 1920.

John I. Bryant, Esq., Chairman:

Dear Sir:

We have examined the accounts of the Town Clerk and Treasurer, Tax Collector, Board of Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, and Schools, for the year 1919, and find them to be correct.

Respectfully yours,

NATHANIEL POPE,
CHAS. E. SHURTLEFF,

Auditors.

REPORTS
 OF THE
SELECTMEN
 AND
OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL HIGHWAY.

Dr.

Overdraft,	\$2,277.16	
Expenditures as per schedule A annexed,	17,853.31	
	\$20,130.47	

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$8,000.00	
Appropriation for road oil,	1,500.00	
Tax collector, street railway tax,	3,520.80	
State Treasurer, street railway tax,	3,112.35	
Cr. from No. Green St. acct., stone,	190.12	
Transferred from Laurel St. acct.,	115.70	
Transferred from Cottage St. acct.,	14.16	
Overdrawn,	3,677.34	
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		\$20,130.47

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.**Cr.**

Balance from last year,	\$497.50	
Transferred from Incidental account,	500.00	
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		\$997.50

FOR STREET EXTENSION.**Cr.**

Balance from last year,	\$1,519.32
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NORTH GREEN STREET**Dr.**

Expenditures as per Schedule B, annexed,	\$1,467.77
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Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$467.77	
Appropriation,	\$1,000.00	
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		\$1,467.77

BRIDGE STREET.**Dr.**

Expenditures as per Schedule C, annexed	\$2,240.62
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Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$2,000.00	
Overdrawn,	240.62	
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ADAMS STREET.**Dr.**

Expenditures as per Schedule D, annexed,	\$764.25	
Balance unexpended,	285.71	
	<hr/>	\$1,049.96

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$549.96	
Transferred from Incidental account,	500.00	
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WILDING STREET.**Dr.**

David P. Valley, land damages,	\$575.00	
Balance unexpended,	125.00	
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Cr.

Appropriation,	\$700.00
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SCONTICUT NECK ROAD.**Dr.**

Overdraft,	\$1,875.78
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ALDEN ROAD.**Dr.**

F. G. Rose, cinders,	\$175.00	
G. L. Alden, cinders,	200.00	
Balance unexpended,	125.00	
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		\$500.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$500.00
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FARMFIELD STREET.**Cr.**

Balance from last year,	\$7.65
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HOWLAND ROAD.**Dr.**

Expenditures as per Schedule E, annexed,	\$1,689.83	
Balance unexpended,	310.17	
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		\$2,000.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,000.00
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Schedule A, General Highways.

W. H. Bryant, foreman,	\$650.13
J. A. Barlow, engineer,	160.00
W. C. Sherman, engineer,	76.00
A. Morris, engineer,	30.00
G. W. King, labor,	761.51
M. Joseph, labor,	673.27
P. Lynch, labor,	499.01
T. H. Kerns, labor,	372.11
M. J. Marra, labor,	485.75
A. Gubelino, labor,	367.50
C. E. Allen, labor,	258.06
J. Sykes, labor,	225.39
G. E. Reeves, labor,	203.38
A. Govoni, labor,	271.63
J. Smith, labor,	204.25
M. Mello, labor,	165.51
A. Rose, labor,	128.63
A. Wing, labor,	30.25
Earle Gifford, labor,	35.76
E. C. Gifford, labor,	33.01
W. K. Alden, labor,	49.26
U. Audette, labor,	32.25
G. Perry, labor,	12.75
H. W. Barney, labor,	12.00
F. Gifford, labor,	11.00
F. Nitschki, labor,	11.00
I. Cromwell, labor,	8.25
W. Karl, labor,	7.20
E. Audette, labor,	6.00
L. Nolin, labor,	6.00
A. Fernandes, labor,	4.50
E. M. Girton, labor,	1.38
A. G. Douglas, labor,	1.00
G. A. Mathewson, Jr., teaming,	1,489.00
A. Fleming, teaming,	785.75
F. G. Rose, teaming,	531.50

G. F. Benson, teaming,	477.00
A. Mello, teaming,	431.00
M. G. Andrade, teaming,	281.00
H. T. Howard, teaming,	204.00
A. A. Sylvia, teaming,	186.00
F. DeTerra, teaming,	145.50
J. Roberts, teaming,	139.00
G. L. Alden, teaming,	104.00
M. Gracia, teaming,	81.00
E. G. Dwelley, teaming,	76.00
G. H. Delano, teaming,	70.00
W. H. Schroder, teaming,	64.00
M. Kerns, teaming,	30.00
A. S. Garcia, teaming,	99.00
J. Soares, teaming,	15.75
J. T. Mangham, teaming,	12.00
R. Dugdale, teaming,	6.00
M. Lewis, teaming,	2.00
J. B. Silva, teaming,	2.00
Blue Stone Quarry Co., stone,	1,439.35
A. C. Sylvia, stone,	212.32
E. Andrews, stone,	97.96
G. A. Austin, stone,	86.83
M. G. Andrade, stone,	35.91
Dana Farm, stone,	33.95
F. Furnans, stone,	41.65
T. Durant, stone,	30.50
F. DeTerra, stone,	35.23
J. Soares, stone,	22.06
J. E. Bettencourt, stone,	21.56
J. Carvalho, stone,	20.96
U. Audette, stone,	28.11
J. Mangham, stone,	18.38
J. Andrews, stone,	19.11
W. B. Studley, stone,	17.92
J. T. Lemos, stone,	15.83
W. Tootle, stone,	15.63
M. Martin, stone,	15.47

A. S. Lemos, stone,	14.74
M. Kerns, stone,	11.52
M. Mello, stone,	18.52
V. Carvalho, stone,	9.72
J. Sylvia, stone,	9.29
J. Roy, stone,	9.61
A. A. Coutoure, stone,	3.91
I. Meyers, stone,	5.89
R. Dugdale,	3.84
M. Perry, stone,	3.36
J. Burnette, stone,	3.77
M. Venter, stone,	2.33
E. G. Dwelley, stone,	2.00
J. T. Lanagan, stone,	.97
N. B. Gas Co., tar,	1,057.45
The Barrett Co., tarvia,	376.20
Independent Coal Tar Co., tar,	273.00
T. W. Whitfield, Supt. of Streets,	300.00
G. A. York & Co., insurance,	294.38
S. P. Manchester, sand,	265.15
Universal Road Machinery Co., repair parts,	258.63
D. Duff & Son, coal,	234.20
M. P. Whitfield, repairs on crusher,	151.70
B. M. Bates, repairs,	137.54
Gunning Boiler & Machine Co., repairs,	108.36
T. W. Whitfield, use of truck,	105.00
C. F. Delano, supplies,	104.11
Pat Conners, cinders,	112.50
J. Carvalho, cinders,	24.00
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., supplies,	61.57
E. M. Holcomb, rent of land,	50.00
City of New Bedford, pipe,	50.82
Electric Express,	58.05
Standard Oil Co., oil,	57.90
F. M. Metcalf, surveys,	84.40
W. F. Nyè, oil,	40.37
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	45.12
Priest Page & Co., supplies,	31.93

N. P. Hayes, supplies,	20.05
Paisler & Willis, supplies,	22.00
G. P. Randall, wood,	38.64
W. B. Studley, gravel,	18.90
M. F. Kerns, sharpening tools,	15.58
F. W. Fraites, sharpening tools,	14.97
Briggs & Beckman, curtain,	12.80
Atlas Tack Co., cinders,	11.80
J. M. Coleman, inspection of boilers,	10.00
C. D. Waldron Est., printing,	10.75
Ames Iron Works, supplies,	9.55
American Railway Express,	9.18
C. H. Porter, lumber,	7.15
U. S. R. R. Adm., freight,	7.65
A. D McMullen, boxes,	4.00
H. S. Gorner, supplies,	4.00
G. A. Matthewson, Jr,	3.50
W. H. Bryant, lumber,	3.49
H. F. Wilde, oil,	2.00
W. Livesey, supplies,	2.50
J. T. Sutcliffe, supplies,	3.60
H. L. Wilson, supplies,	2.00
J. Gelette, supplies,	1.21
Willey & Bonner, auto,	1.00
L. W. Morton, supplies,	.78
E. S. Anthony & Son, advertising,	.39
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	\$17,853.31

Schedule B, North Green Street.

Chas. Desrosier, stone,	\$355.00
Blue Stone Quarry Co., stone,	113.15
Highway department, stone and tar,	190.12
N. B. Gas Co., tar and ashes,	62.25
D. Duff & Son, coal,	49.00
Wm. C. Sherman, engineer,	68.00

James Barlow, engineer,	16.00
Wm. H. Bryant, foreman,	29.75
G. W. King, labor,	52.00
A. Gubellini, labor,	64.00
C. E. Allen, labor,	42.00
G. E. Reeves, labor,	42.00
Peter Lynch, labor,	31.50
T. H. Kerns, labor,	28.50
M. J. Marra, labor,	28.50
J. Smith, labor,	21.00
M. Mello, labor,	21.00
A. Govoni, labor,	15.00
Wm. Tootle, labor,	8.00
A. Rose, labor,	7.50
J. Sykes, labor,	5.50
M. Joseph, labor,	6.00
M. Gracia, teaming,	60.00
A. S. Mello, teaming,	56.00
A. Fleming, teaming,	42.00
G. A. Matthewson, Jr., teaming,	18.00
F. DeTerra, teaming,	18.00
C. F. Benson, teaming,	12.00
H. T. Howard, teaming,	6.00
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	\$1,467.77

Schedule C, Bridge Street.

N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co., tar,	\$408.00
Jos. Carvalho, stone,	128.94
Wm. B. Studley, stone,	60.45
M. Venter, stone,	50.95
A. Reindeau, stone,	42.32
F. DeTerra, stone,	47.37
Jos. Mangham, stone,	34.30
M. G. Andrade, stone,	28.43
J. Bettencourt, stone,	25.79
Jos. Andrews, stone,	12.76

U. Audette, stone,	10.25
A. A. Couture, stone,	8.92
Jos. Barcellos, stone,	9.72
E. Andrews, stone,	8.86
Dana Farm, stone,	7.75
I. Meyers, stone,	6.30
F. Lanagan, stone,	2.65
J. C. Lanagan, stone,	2.49
R. Dugdale, stone,	1.37
A. Gubellini, labor,	200.00
A. Govoni, labor,	135.00
T. H. Kerns, labor,	82.50
Peter Lynch, labor,	76.50
M. Mello, labor,	42.00
A. Fernandes, labor,	33.75
F. W. Akin, labor,	26.00
Edw. Audette, labor,	21.00
J. Smith, labor,	21.00
M. Joseph, labor,	9.00
M. J. Marra, labor,	6.00
Wm. H. Bryant, foreman,	7.00
A. C. Morris, engineer,	125.00
J. B. Sylvia, engineer,	20.00
A. Mello, teaming,	178.00
J. Soares, teaming,	170.25
J. F. Mangham, teaming,	120.00
C. F. Benson, teaming,	36.00
M. G. Andrade, teaming,	22.00
A. Fleming, teaming,	12.00
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	\$2,240.62

Schedule D, Adams Street.

M. P. Whitfield, labor on fence,	\$253.93
Camberlain, Borden & Silva, land damages,	185.00
Chamberlain & Silva, land damages,	74.47
Wm. Young, et ux, land damages,	40.00

Jas. T. Cowley et ux, land damages,	35.00
Chas. E. Peters, land damages,	30.00
Jas. Bickerstaff et ux, land damages,	7.00
B. M. Bumpus, rebuilding wall,	44.00
A. F. Reed, rebuilding wall,	44.00
C. E. Bumpus, rebuilding wall,	40.00
F. M. Metcalf, surveys,	10.85
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	\$764.25

Schedule E, Howland Road.

Blue Stone Quarry Co., stone,	\$947.94
N. B. Gas Co., tar,	288.00
A. Gubellini, labor,	118.50
A. Govoni, labor,	75.00
Peter Lynch, labor,	14.63
C. E. Reeves, labor,	5.50
M. J. Marra, labor,	6.38
T. H. Kerns, labor,	3.38
A. Fernandes, engineer,	54.56
Jas. Barlow, engineer,	40.00
W. C. Sherman, engineer,	20.00
Wm. H. Bryant, foreman,	7.44
A. Mello, teaming,	84.50
M. Gracia, teaming,	12.00
A. Fleming, teaming,	8.00
A. A. Sylvia, teaming,	4.00
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	\$1,689.83

POOR DEPARTMENT

Dr.

Expenditures as per schedule F, annexed, for	
Almshouse,	\$3,607.45
Outside poor as per schedule G, annexed,	3,909.33
Other towns and cities,	74.73
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	\$7,591.51

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$702.76
Appropriation,	4,000.00
From various cities and towns, aid repaid,	435.94
State Treasurer, aid repaid,	1,438.12
School department, transportation of scholars	400.00
Cash for board,	31.50
Cash for produce,	75.25
Rent of pasture,	20.00
From Ricketts Trust Fund,	61.08
Overdrawn,	426.86
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	\$7,591.51

**AID TO MOTHERS WITH DEPENDENT MINOR
CHILDREN**

Dr.

Cash paid to mothers,	\$335.00
Wm. M. Stetson, provisions,	264.00
J. H. Seaman, provisions,	240.00
Wm. J. Lang, provisions,	96.00
J. Gelette, provisions,	94.00
T. G. Walsh, provisions,	30.00
E. B. Mackie, provisions,	24.00
Nichols & Damon, shoes,	10.50
H. E. Lincoln, coal,	5.37
Wiley & Bonner, auto,	.75
Balance unexpended,	3,959.55
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	\$5,059.17

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$1,671.28	
Appropriation,	2,800.00	
State Treasurer, one-third share aid repaid,	587.89	
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		\$5,059.17

Schedule F, Almshouse.

J. L. Eldridge, warden,	\$600.00
J. Gelette, provisions,	433.10
H. K. Nye, provisions,	306.99
H. F. Wilde, provisions,	268.42
W. F. Church, provisions,	175.62
E. B. Mackie, provisions,	213.25
H. E. Lincoln, coal,	130.67
N. B. Dry Goods Co., supplies,	103.72
Lottie Staples, services,	140.00
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	342.11
G. P. Randall, wood,	57.12
D. W. Deane, hay,	50.59
A. E. Wordell, Fertilizer, etc.,	62.60
C. F. Wing, supplies,	50.23
Phaneuf & Sons, grain,	95.24
Florence Smith, services,	81.81
Derby Hospital,	31.50
Fairhaven Water Co.,	33.70
C. F. Delano, supplies,	46.31
Browne Pharmacy, supplies,	25.40
F. W. Fraits, shoeing, etc.,	33.45
J. S. Delano, fish,	37.38
N. B. Gas Co., lights,	34.08
Elmer Stevens, ice,	27.84
W. S. Dillingham, burial,	25.00
J. L. Eldridge, cash paid for sundries,	9.50
M. Borges, refund,	20.00
D. Mahoney, sawdust,	19.32
Nichols & Damons, shoes,	19.25

E. H. Tilton, services,	12.00
L. F. Blossom, milk,	15.00
T. Wilson, repairs,	14.37
Dr. Hamilton, services,	12.50
C. G. Francis, drawings,	16.58
J. & W. R. Wing & Co., supplies,	11.35
F. A. Blossom, sharpening tools,	7.75
D. Duff & Son, bridles,	6.00
J. Machado, scallops,	7.95
Peter Murray, spraying trees,	5.00
J. Handy Co., supplies,	7.40
Willey & Bonner, auto,	5.50
Peckham Floral Co., plants,	4.00
L. W. Morton, repairs,	2.70
H. H. Hathaway, supplies,	2.60
Z. Winsor, sharpening saws,	2.20
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., tolls,	.35

\$3,607.45

Schedule G, Outside Poor.

W. M. Stetson, provisions,	\$398.00
J. T. Sutcliffe, provisions,	581.00
W. F. Church, provisions,	251.00
Great A. & P. Tea Co., provisions,	230.00
H. L. Wilson, provisions,	201.50
R. H. Woodland, provisions,	182.00
W. J. Lang, provisions,	157.50
E. B. Mackie, provisions,	148.00
J. Gelette, provisions,	110.36
H. K. Nye, provisions,	67.50
T. G. Walsh, provisions,	66.00
P. Fernandes, provisions,	25.66
A. C. Aiken, provisions,	24.00
E. Duphily, provisions,	7.50
St. Lukes' Hospital,	216.80
L. W. Horne, salary,	150.00

Dr. A. H. Mandell, services,	50.00
Mrs. R. Langill, rent,	142.08
Clara Millett, rent,	51.75
Nichols & Damon, shoes,	106.55
Mary A. Potter, nursing,	70.00
Cushing & Boucher, shoes,	31.64
A. D. McMullen, moving,	43.18
N. B. Dry Goods Co., supplies,	79.83
Browne Pharmacy, supplies,	43.55
W. T. Grant Co., supplies,	35.06
Steiger, Dudgeon Co., supplies,	26.90
Cherry & Co., supplies,	20.62
Hobbs & Warren, supplies,	11.79
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	24.70
St. Mary's Home, care of children,	48.00
H. E. Lincoln, coal,	81.57
F. Andrews, wood,	27.00
Dr. G. F. Lewis, radiograph,	15.00
L. H. Simas, expenses to Boston, etc.,	18.46
J. E. Moriarty, burial,	16.00
Dr. Joel Bradford, services,	16.00
Vaughn Undertaking Co., burial,	20.00
Dana Farm, milk,	10.48
Willey & Bonner, auto,	12.25
A. Chausse, ambulance,	12.00
Dr. C. E. P. Thompson, services,	10.00
Champegnny & LeBlanc, shoes,	9.00
Talbot & Co., supplies,	7.50
City Coal Co., coal,	6.25
G. S. Boisvert, moving,	6.00
Sullivan & Crocker, book,	9.00
Mercury Publishing Co., book,	7.00
C. A. Hacker, auto,	6.00
Keystone Office Appliance Co., supplies,	3.80
F. W. Woolworth Co., supplies,	3.00
Co-operative Store, supplies,	2.00
C. D. Waldron Est., printing,	1.25
Fairhaven Garage, auto,	.75

J. M. Willey, auto,	6.00
N. E. Tel. Co., tolls,	.55
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	\$3,909.33

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Maintenance.

Dr.

Overdraft,	\$660.23
Expenditures as per schedule H, annexed,	8,886.81
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	\$9,547.04

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$8,000.00
Cr. from sundry persons, pump hire,	6.00
Overdrawn,	1,541.04
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	\$9,547.04

SEWER CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

Dr.

Pay-roll,	\$23.20
Overdraft transferred from Hitch St. sewer drain,	19.98
Overdraft transferred from Sycamore St. sewer,	140.80
Balance unexpended,	3,394.84
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	\$3,578.82

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$1,223.12
Cr. bal. transferred from Linden Ave. sewer,	34.94
Cr. bal. transferred from Garrison St. sewer,	61.24

Cr. bal. transferred from Bridge St. sewer,	28.89
Cr. bal. transferred from Pleasant St. sewer,	16.47
Cr. bal. transferred from Green St. sewer,	14.18
Cr. bal. transferred from Ball St. sewer,	7.08
By sewer assessments,	2,192.90

\$3,578.82

SEWER CONNECTIONS ACCOUNT

Dr.

Expenditures as per schedule I, annexed,	\$2,689.45
Balance unexpended,	62.37

\$2,751.82

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$210.02
By sundry connections,	2,541.80

\$2,751.82

WILDING STREET SEWER

Dr.

Paul G. Saucier, construction of sewer for D. P. Valley,	\$596.20
D. P. Valley, stock and labor,	168.80
F. M. Metcalf, engineering, etc.,	55.24
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co., manhole cover and frame,	27.36
H. W. Barney, labor,	2.40

\$850.00

Cr.

Cash from D. P. Valley,	\$850.00
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SYCAMORE STREET SEWER CONSTRUCTION**Dr.**

Expenditures as per schedule J, annexed,	\$3,042.33	
Balance unexpended,	6,957.67	
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		\$10,000.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$10,000.00
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Schedule H, Sewer Maintenance.

Pay-rolls, labor,	\$1,077.56
E. F. Dexter, engineer,	\$1,239.82
F. W. Gibbs, engineer,	1,229.99
Wm. Silver, engineer,	608.15
J. S. Mello, engineer,	495.84
Standard Oil Co., oil,	1,101.74
Rankin & Arnold, repairs,	313.03
F. G. Bowman, coal,	297.40
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., supplies,	192.91
Wm. F. Nye, oil,	160.85
Valentine's Machine Shop, repairs,	291.18
City Coal Co., coal,	243.50
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	172.21
H. E. Lincoln, insurance,	420.16
H. L. Hoxie, clerical services,	88.60
H. E. Lincoln, clerical services,	71.69
E. S. Whiting, Jr., clerical services,	48.62
Fairhaven Water Co.,	79.31
D. LaVergne Machine Co., supplies,	73.40
Paisler & Willis, supplies,	34.04
Fairhaven Garage, storage and repairs,	63.78
Power Equipment Co., valves,	54.15
C. D. Waldron Est., printing,	46.50
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co.,	51.24

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	40.75
Gunning Boiler & Machine Co.,	36.00
M. F. Kerns, sharpening tools, etc.,	25.10
Sewer Connection account,	21.92
A. S. Garcia,	22.00
C. H. Porter, lumber,	13.92
Wm. M. Allen, envelopes,	11.16
The Cornelius Callahan Co., supplies,	12.14
C. F. Delano, supplies,	18.70
F. W. Fraits, sharpening tools, etc.,	9.74
H. W. Barney, rubber boots & express,	27.50
Gardiner & Milliken, legal,	25.00
Wm. J. Mitchell, services,	19.50
F. W. Morse, clerical services,	10.00
H. L. Perry, carting,	19.00
Thos. Wilson, trucking, etc.,	7.00
P. B. Bragdon, inspecting boiler,	5.00
H. T. Gidley, surveys,	5.00
M. P. Whitfield, repairs,	4.89
Wm. Livesey, supplies,	5.51
N. B. Welding & Machine Co., supplies,	19.70
Briggs & Beckman, supplies,	8.54
F. S. Brightman Co., supplies,	8.40
H. K. Nye, supplies,	6.68
Willey & Bonner, gasoline,	2.60
F. A. Habicht, printing,	2.85
U. S. R. R. Administration, demurrage,	8.24
American Railway Express,	7.64
L. P. Grammes Sons, supplies,	5.29
The Novelty Press, supplies,	3.25
DeWolf & Vincent, supplies,	2.75
N. P. Hayes Co., supplies,	3.80
L. W. Morton, repairs,	4.04
N. B. Boiler & Machine Co., repairs,	2.31
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., supplies,	1.90
N. M. Paull, supplies,	1.00
A. C. Smith, supplies,	.75
Adams Express Co.,	.59

Wm. M. Stetson, supplies,	.48
J. Morton, keys,	.60
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	\$8,886.81

Schedule I, Sewer Connections.

Pay-rolls, labor,	\$1,536.55
T. H. Margeson, stock and labor,	209.55
L. W. Morton, repairs,	231.49
Paul Saucier, labor,	197.20
C. F. Delano, stock and labor,	139.58
Paisler & Willis, supplies,	80.95
H. E. Lincoln, insurance and services,	63.07
N. B. Gas Co.,	45.45
D. P. Valley, stock and labor,	43.90
C. L. Dunham, stock and labor,	36.24
H. J. Gault, stock and labor,	34.65
F. M. Metcalf, services,	15.40
H. L. Hoxie, services,	15.30
N. B. Boiler & Machine Co., pipe,	15.36
J. P. Lyons, refund,	15.00
E. S. Whiting, Jr., services,	4.50
H. W. Barney, express,	3.50
H. L. Wilson, oil,	1.76
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	\$2,689.45

Schedule J, Sycamore Street Sewer Construction

Antone Lapadula, contract,	\$1,697.20
F. M. Metcalf, engineering and supervision,	1,041.95
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co., manhole covers and frames,	218.40
The Globe Newspaper Co., advertising,	35.70
Providence Journal Co., advertising,	14.30
E. Anthony & Sons, advertising,	9.86
Engineers News Record, advertising,	8.55
F. R. Daily Herald Publishing Co., advertising,	8.40

Mercury Publishing Co., advertising,	5.02
H. E. Lincoln, typewriting,	2.00
E. S. Whiting, Jr., toll calls,	.95
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	\$3042.33

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

Dr.

Expenditures as per schedule K, annexed,	\$15,452.98
State Aid Expenditures to date,	2,008.00
Soldiers' Relief as per schedule L, annexed,	190.45
State Treasurer, State tax,	13,971.00
Bank tax,	1,367.55
State highway tax,	245.15
Special State tax,	838.20
Transferred to school department,	2,400.00
Transferred to granolithic sidewalks,	500.00
Transferred to Adams St. account,	500.00
Balance unexpended,	14,299.13
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	\$51,772.46

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$4,781.69
Appropriation,	\$1,500.00
Appropriation for Memorial services,	200.00
State Treasurer:	
Income tax, school fund,	6,076.66
Income tax,	2,359.00
Corporation tax,	1,294.12
State Aid,	2,893.00
Soldiers' Exemption,	126.89
National Bank tax,	1,138.34
Fairhaven Mills, sale of land,	5,000.00
Mina Jacobs, Town Farm land,	500.00
Scallop permits,	103.00
Quahog and fish trap licenses,	139.00

Junk dealers' licenses,	89.75	
Peddlers' licenses,	72.00	
Sundry licenses,	8.00	
Town of Mattapoisett, Soldiers' Relief,	24.00	
Excess of taxes,	25,467.01	
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		\$51,772.46

RICKETTS TRUST FUND

Dr.

Riverside Cemetery, care of lot,	\$3.00	
Transferred to poor account,	61.08	
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		\$64.08

Cr.

By interest,	\$64.08
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SHELLFISH COMMISSION

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$463.60	
Appropriation,	\$500.00	
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		\$963.60

COMMUNITY NURSE ACCOUNT

Dr.

Community Nurse Association, services of nurse	\$500.00
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Cr.

By appropriation,	\$500.00
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ONE-STORY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$47.36
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PLOTTING PLANS**Dr.**

F. M. Metcalf, services,	\$150.00
Balance unexpended,	350.00
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	\$500.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$500.00
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VOCATIONAL SCHOOL TUITION**Dr.**

N. B. Vocational School, tuition,	\$681.20
Balance unexpended,	1,863.68
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	\$2,544.88

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$968.88
Appropriation,	1,000.00
State Treasurer, ½ tuition for 1918,	576.00
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	\$2,544.88

NEW BEDFORD AND FAIRHAVEN BRIDGE**Dr.**

City of New Bedford, one-fifth share of expenditures for 1918,	\$2,526.45
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Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,526.45
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COGGESHALL STREET BRIDGE**Dr.**

City of New Bedford, one-quarter share of expenditures for 1918,	\$541.06
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Cr.

Appropriation,	\$541.06
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Schedule K, Incidental Account.

County Treasurer, county tax,	\$7,700.09
Pay-rolls, collecting ashes,	1,956.02
C. D. Waldron Est, printing and advertising,	649.65
Mercury Publishing Co., printing,	459.00
L. H. Simas, clerical services,	919.00
H. E. Lincoln, insurance,	368.00
Paul & Dixon, insurance,	176.23
Fairhaven Veteran Association, Memorial services	234.84
Wm. H. Schroeder, inspector of animals,	200.00
Registrars of Voters, pay-rolls,	192.00
Precinct Officers, pay-rolls,	180.00
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co., installing wires, etc., for fire-alarm box,	186.89
H. L. Tripp, services,	160.00
S. S. Bumpus, sealer of weights and measures,	153.85
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., supplies,	111.65
N. B. Gas Co., bridge lights,	117.04
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	285.00
F. M. Metcalf, surveys, etc.,	233.00
N. B. Typewriter Exchange, typewriter,	82.50
Wm. M. Allen, stamps and box rent,	83.59
Remington Typewriter Co., typewriter and sup- plies,	67.50
N. Pope, auditing,	50.00
C. E. Shurtleff, auditing,	50.00
Mary E. Akin, canvassing for births,	50.00
W. K. Perry, police duty,	50.00
Fairhaven Improvement Association, repairs at Woodside Cemetery,	50.00
Paul G. Saucier, labor,	49.50
Briggs & Beckman, banner,	45.00
F. S. Brightman Co., supplies,	41.25
E. J. Dillingham, copying conveyances,	35.00
Willey & Bonner, auto,	32.00
Crapo, Clifford & Prescott, legal,	29.00
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	25.21

C. A. Hacker, auto,	28.00
The Maybeth Shop, engrossing letter,	26.75
Fairhaven Water Co.,	22.12
E. Taylor, services,	21.00
Bureau of Statistics, certification of notes,	20.00
J. I. Bryant, expenses to Boston,	10.50
M. E. Morrison, stenographic reports of town meetings,	18.00
Cook, Brownell & Taber, legal,	30.00
M. A. Judson, services,	24.75
Riverside Cemetery, care of G. A. R. lots,	10.00
Sullivan & Crocker, book,	16.00
Vaughan Undertaking Co., burial returns,	15.50
Geo. E. Reeves, labor,	16.50
Akin-Denison Co., rep. case,	11.40
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies,	16.14
L. H. Simas, administering oats,	10.15
Jas. Thomas, dinners to precinct officers,	10.50
M. Pflug, dinners to precinct officers,	8.00
J. M. Roderick, dinners to precinct officers,	5.40
J. M. Willey, auto,	7.00
W. A. Greenleaf & Co., directory,	6.50
J. G. Johnston, badges,	10.33
The Devoll Printing House,	9.00
The Keystone Office Appliance Co., supplies,	8.10
Pay-roll, forest fires,	8.70
E. E. Cushman, auto,	8.00
National Bank of Fairhaven, box rent,	8.00
J. B. Peck, assessing bank tax,	5.96
Wm. H. Bly, assessing bank tax,	5.96
C. A. Hacker, assessing bank tax,	5.96
J. H. Stetson, collecting bank tax,	5.96
Auto List Publishing Co., auto list,	5.00
S. S. Bumpus, repairs,	3.50
Robert Saltmarsh, service,	3.00
H. W. Barney, carting,	2.00
G. W. Hill, postage,	1.99
Hobbs & Warren, supplies,	1.55

P. B. Murphy, supplies,	1.00
C. T. Akin, supplies,	1.00
Registry of Deeds, recording,	.95
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	\$15,452.98

Schedule L, Soldiers' Relief.

Cash paid to Soldiers,	\$162.00
H. K. Nye, provisions,	16.00
H. E. Lincoln, coal,	12.45
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Charged in "Incidental" account,	\$190.45

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Dr.

Overdraft,	\$132.57
Expenditures as per schedule M, annexed,	2,288.29
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	\$2,420.86

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,100.00
Overdrawn,	\$320.86
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	\$2,420.86

TREE DEPARTMENT.

Dr.

Expenditures as per schedule N, annexed,	\$2,426.67
Balance unexpended,	21.97
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	\$2,448.64

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Balance unexpended,	\$163.64	
Appropriation,	2,000.00	
Town of Mattapoisett, spraying trees,	200.00	
Riverside Cemetery, spraying trees,	85.00	
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		\$2,448.64

GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

G. W. King, superintendent,	\$128.76	
M. Joseph, labor,	111.32	
Balance unexpended,	422.05	
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		\$662.13
Balance from last year,	\$362.13	
Appropriation.	300.00	
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		\$662.13

Schedule M, Park Department.

James Goggin, superintendent,	\$947.30	
F. A. Rounsville, labor,	\$529.37	
A. F. Rose, labor,	303.00	
A. DeForge, labor,	188.47	
M. F. Lewis, horse and labor,	80.35	
F. C. Taylor, painting flag-pole,	69.87	
Peter Murray, spraying trees,	40.00	
Valentine's Machine Shop, sharpening mower, etc,	31.50	
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., hose,	30.00	
James Goggin, park police,	25.00	
Fairhaven Water Co.,	21.48	
C. F. Delano, supplies,	8.85	
C. F. Wing Co., supplies,	8.10	
Wm. F. Nye, oil,	5.00	
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		\$2,288.29

Schedule N, Tree Department.

Pay-rolls, labor,	\$1,236.57
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., supplies,	622.50
Rhode Island Nurseries, trees,	100.00
Peter Murray, tree warden,	100.00
A. H. Kennedy, repairs,	72.00
S. C. Lowe, supplies,	82.00
C. D. Waldron Est., advertising,	46.80
Fairhaven Garage, supplies,	33.16
Frost Insecticide Co., supplies,	33.00
Thos. Wilson, sharpening saws, etc.,	30.14
C. H. W. Moulton Co., ladders,	26.50
H. E. Lincoln, insurance,	17.43
N. P. Hayes, supplies,	11.35
C. F. Delano, supplies,	7.32
H. H. Hathaway, supplies,	3.90
C. F. Cushing, supplies,	2.00
F. W. Fraits, repairs,	2.00
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	\$2,426.67

FIRE DEPARTMENT.**Maintenance.****Dr.**

Expenditures as per Schedule K, annexed,	\$4,457.06
Balance unexpended,	\$548.76
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	\$5,005.82

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$355.82
Appropriation,	4,500.00
Appropriation for Supt. Fire Alarm,	150.00
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	5005.82

HYDRANT SERVICE.**Dr.**

Fairhaven Water Co.,	\$2,775.00
Balance unexpended,	210.50
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	\$2,985.50

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$185.50
Appropriation,	2,800.00
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	\$2,985.50

FIRE HOSE ACCOUNT.**Dr.**

The F. Hallet Co., hose,	\$977.50
Balance unexpended,	58.50
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	\$1,036.00

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$36.00
Appropriation,	1,000.00
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	\$1,036.00

Schedule K, Fire Maintenance.

Fairhaven Garage, storage, labor, etc.,	\$2,188.33
Payroll, Chemical No. 3,	370.45
Payroll, Hose Co. No. 1,	365.00
Payroll, Hose Co. No. 2,	365.00
Payroll, Hook and Ladder Co.,	350.00
Payroll, Engineers,	160.00
C. A. Hacker, Supt. Fire Alarm,	150.00
M. D. Amaral, hauling,	70.00

Willey & Bonner, hauling,	32.00
L. F. Wilde, hauling,	10.00
C. A. Hacker, extra labor,	60.00
E. F. Dahill, Jr., supplies,	60.00
Gamewell Fire Alarm Tel. Co., supplies,	36.01
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., supplies,	33.50
N. B. Gas Co.,	27.02
W. A. Harrington, janitor,	20.00
C. D. Waldron Est., printing and advertising,	14.15
Fairhaven Water Co.,	20.00
L. W. Morton, repairs,	30.00
D. Duff & Son, coal,	12.45
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	13.00
G. H. T. Brown & Co., supplies,	8.45
D. F. Lackie, wood,	10.00
Browne Pharmacy, supplies,	6.30
W. H. Danzell, labor,	2.40
A. L. Austin, wood,	6.00
J. W. Maud,	5.96
A. Roberts, washing hose,	5.50
J. M. Willey, auto,	5.00
M. Terra, repairs,	3.00
R. Thatcher, repairs,	2.00
A. Price, Jr.,	2.95
Briggs & Beckman, supplies,	2.85
C. F. Delano, supplies,	3.60
A. Robertson,	1.80
F. Light Dif. Co., lamps,	1.33
Wm. M. Allen, box rent,	1.20
E. T. Macomber, labor,	1.00
B. M. Bates, repairs,	.81

\$4,457.06

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Dr.

Overdraft,	\$42.82
W. H. Francis, constable,	416.49

A. C. Aiken, constable,	339.00
Fairhaven Garage, auto,	107.25
Thomas Scales, care of lock-up,	121.80
W. H. Francis, court fees,	118.22
J. Parkinson, court fees,	22.54
A. C. Aiken, court fees,	12.98
Willey & Bonner, auto,	30.00
C. T. Blankinship, auto,	15.00
W. H. Francis, killing dogs,	28.00
A. C. Aiken, killing dogs,	22.00
Browne Pharmacy, N. B., analysis of three bot- tles wine,	30.00
Browne Pharmacy, F., analysis of three bottles wine,	15.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	61.29
C. D. Waldron Est., printing and advertising,	9.75
Thomas Greenwood, auto,	11.50
Hiller's Garage, auto,	6.50
A. Gubelini, services,	8.34
J. M. Willey, auto,	4.75
A. H. Hadfield, auto,	2.50
Dr. L. W. Horne, services,	2.00
J. B. Silva, special police,	29.00
F. E. Dunn, special police,	17.00
E. W. Hoxie, special police,	17.00
D. Gerstlauer, special police,	17.00
E. W. Miller, special police,	15.00
Macy Joseph, special police,	14.00
J. A. W. Burgess, special police,	15.50
C. H. Lawton, special police,	10.00
F. Rounsiville, special police,	12.00
James Goggin, special police,	12.00
Patrick Sullivan, special police,	10.00
F. B. Jenney, special police,	11.00
Joseph Machado, special police,	9.50
H. W. Barney, special police,	9.00
A. Perry, special police,	8.00
T. Scales, special police,	7.00

A. G. Douglas, special police,	6.25
G. E. Ransom, special police,	6.00
P. Downey, special police,	6.00
Wm. H. Dunham, special police,	6.00
Fred Morse, special police,	6.00
D. P. Valley, special police,	3.05
R. B. White, special police,	2.00

\$1,676.03

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$1,400.00
Court Fines,	58.93
County Treasurer, repaid for killing dogs,	50.00
Overdrawn,	167.10

\$1,676.03

BOARD OF HEALTH.**Dr.**

Overdraft,	\$381.61
Expenditures as per Schedule O, annexed,	2,753.00
Balance unexpended,	785.34

\$3,919.95

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$2,500.00
Appropriation for garbage collection,	700.00
Cr. from New Bedford, aid repaid,	603.45
Cr. Sundry persons, aid repaid,	51.50
Sundry licenses,	15.00
Slaughter-house license,	50.00

\$3,919.95

Schedule O, Board of Health.

N. B. Tuberculosis Sanatorium,	\$666.68
Barnstable County Infirmary,	306.44
Lakeville State Sanatorium,	260.57
Plymouth County Hospital,	122.40
J. Rivard, inspecting animals,	400.00
G. E. Reeves, collecting garbage,	363.42
A. Couture, collecting garbage,	200.00
Jos. Rego, collecting garbage,	145.83
City of New Bedford, aid repaid,	139.50
Dr. A. H. Mandell, cultures,	37.00
Willey & Bonner, auto,	22.00
J. T. Sutcliffe, supplies,	18.00
C. D. Waldron Est. advertising,	18.66
J. B. Peck, services,	15.30
Dr. G. F. Lewis, raidograph,	10.00
L. H. Simas, services,	11.15
U. S. R. R. Co.,	5.40
L. F. Nye, supplies,	5.60
Fairhaven Garage, auto,	2.00
W. M. Allen, box rent,	1.80
Hobbs & Warren, supplies,	1.25
Browne, Pharmacy, supplies,	.60
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	\$2,753.00

TOWN HALL.**Dr.**

Overdraft,	\$304.98
Thomas Scales, janitor,	932.60
H. E. Lincoln, coal,	523.56
N. B. Gas Co.,	350.59
E. S. Whiting, Jr., coal,	338.25
J. Donnelly, repairs,	181.75
City Coal Co., coal,	180.65
Gunning Boiler & Machine Co., repairs,	110.56

L. W. Morton, repairs,	78.41
A. Gubilino, janitor,	95.00
Clarence Dunn, janitor,	40.00
B. M. Bates, repairs,	57.04
A. L. Austin, wood,	16.00
Fairhaven Water Co.,	25.47
Orient Spray Co.,	22.50
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., supplies,	19.45
F. S. Brightman, supplies,	9.50
N. B. Dry Goods Co., supplies,	5.92
F. Andrews, wood,	18.00
A. D. McMullen, moving pianos,	16.00
C. F. Delano, supplies,	12.72
H. W. Bliss, repairs,	12.60
J. H. Plunkett, inspecting boilers,	10.00
T. Hersom & Co., bone meal,	7.50
Gatenby & Swift, repairs,	5.75
W. Dunn, labor,	3.00
E. Strom, labor,	3.00
C. A. Hacker, care of stage,	3.00
Briggs & Beckman, curtain rings,	3.49
C. H. Lawton, labor,	4.00
A. C. Smith, repairing locks,	3.65
Browne Pharmacy, supplies,	4.40
J. Gellette, supplies,	2.45
W. N. Tinkham, tuning piano,	4.00
Kennedy & Kirwin, supplies,	2.50
G. H. T. Brown & Co., supplies,	2.25
D. J. Sullivan, repairing clock,	2.50
American Railway Express Co.,	1.11
J. A. W. Burgess, services,	2.00
F. E. Dunn, services,	2.00
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., supplies,	.90
Balance unexpended,	554.95

\$3,975.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$3,500.00
By rent,	310.00
By entertainments,	165.00
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	\$3,975.00

SALARIES.**Dr.**

Treasurer:	
Chas. F. Swift,	\$1,000.00
Collector:	
John H. Stetson,	949.95
Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor:	
John I. Bryant,	300.00
Thomas W. Whitfield,	200.00
Isaac N. Babbitt,	200.00
Assessors:	
Joseph B. Peck,	709.75
Clifton A. Hacker,	556.50
Wm. H. Bly,	493.75
Sewer Commissioners:	
G. Winston Valentine,	50.00
Wm. J. Fitzsimmons,	50.00
Norman M. Paull,	25.00
Board of Health:	
Joseph B. Peck, 1919,	75.00
Clarence A. Terry, 1919,	75.00
Dr. L. W. Horne, 1918-1919,	75.00
School Committee:	
A. B. Paull,	25.00
L. E. Bentley,	25.00
D. W. Kendrick,	25.00
D. W. Deane,	25.00
L. C. Bauldry,	25.00
H. H. Stillman,	25.00
Balance unexpended,	69.26
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	\$4,979.21

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$479.21	
Appropriation,	4,500.00	
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		\$4,979.21

STREET LIGHTS.**Dr.**

Overdraft,	\$77.07	
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co.,	3,485.41	
Balance unexpended,	37.52	
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		\$3,600.00

Cr.

Appropriation,	\$3,600.00
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DEBT AND INTEREST.**Dr.**

N. B. Institution for Savings, notes paid,	\$13,740.00	
Temporary loans,	50,000.00	
Interest on notes and bonds,	6,741.23	
Bridge bond,	1,000.00	
Balance unexpended,	1,308.17	
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		\$72,789.40

Cr.

Balance from last year,	\$1,010.99	
Appropriation,	\$21,640.00	
By temporary loans,	50,000.00	
By interest on deposits,	138.41	
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		\$72,789.40

PRESENT TOWN DEBT.

N. B. and Fairhaven Bridge bonds,	\$29,000.00
N. B. and Fairhaven Bridge maintenance,	400.00
N. B. and Fairhaven Bridge maintenance,	4,400.00
Howland Road sewer,	1,500.00
Howland Road sewer,	300.00
Motor Chemical Wagon,	1,680.00
Refunding notes,	12,400.00
Oxford School addition,	21,000.00
Fort Street extension,	600.00
Green and Watson Street sewer,	4,500.00
Farmfield Street,	1,500.00
Adams Street,	4,000.00
Green Street sewer,	400.00
Bridge Street school,	34,200.00
Sconticut Neck Road,	2,000.00
Garrison Street sewer,	930.00
Sycamore Street sewer,	10,000.00
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	\$128,810.00

TRUST FUNDS.

Abner Pease School Fund.

Deposited Oct. 5, 1905, \$5,000.00, New Bedford Institution for Savings.

Deposited, Oct. 11, 1905, \$2,558.12, New Bedford Five Cents Savings Bank.

Ricketts Trust Fund.

Deposited Feb. 4, 1909, \$476.60, New Bedford Institution for Savings.

Deposited Sept. 11, 1909, \$954.06, New Bedford Institution for Savings.

Henry H. Rogers Trust Fund.

At a Special Town Meeting held April 28, 1913, the citizens unanimously voted that the town accept the trust created by the following provisions of the will of the late Henry H. Rogers:

I give and bequeath to the Town of Fairhaven, in the State of Massachusetts, the sum of One Hundred Thousand (100,000) dollars, in trust, however, as a permanent endowment fund, and I direct that the income thereof be applied between the maintenance of the Primary and Grammar Schools of the said Town of Fairhaven.

In accordance with provisions of the said will as to the management of said Trust Fund, the Board of Selectmen submit the following statement:

Received from the executors of the will of the late Henry H. Rogers, Aug. 12, 1913, \$100,000 Deposited same in National Bank of Fairhaven at 2 per cent. interest.

Invested Oct. 24, 1913, \$25,000.00 in New York Telephone Co., first general mortgage $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. gold bonds at cost of \$24,468.75.

Invested Oct. 25, 1913, \$25,000.00 in American Telephone and Telegraph Co., Collateral Trust 4 per cent. bonds at a cost of \$21,937.50.

Deposited Dec. 30, 1913, in Fairhaven Institution for Savings \$10,000.00.

Deposited Dec. 30, 1913, in New Bedford Institution for Savings \$10,000.00.

Deposited Dec. 30, 1913, in New Bedford Five Cents Savings Bank, \$10,000.00.

Invested March 13, 1914, \$10,000.00 in New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., 5 per cent. gold bonds at a cost of \$10,108.75.

Deposited May 12, 1914, in Citizens Savings Bank of Fall River, \$5,000.00.

Deposited May 12, 1914, in Union Savings Bank of Fall River, \$5,000.00.

Invested Nov. 18, 1914, \$3,000.00 in Automatic Telephone Co. of New Bedford first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds at a cost of \$2,850.00.

Deposited Dec. 21, 1914, \$635.00 balance of Trust Fund in Fairhaven Institution for Savings.

Edmund Anthony, Jr., Trust Fund.

At a Special Town Meeting held April 28, 1913, the citizens voted to approve the action of the Selectmen in accepting from the executors of the will of Sarah C. Anthony, ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, bequeathed by her to the Town of Fairhaven in trust, to be held as a permanent fund, in memory of her late husband, Edmund Anthony, Jr., the income thereof to be devoted to educational purposes in such manner as the school committee may from time to time determine.

Deposited in New Bedford Institution for Savings.

Henry H. Rogers Trust Fund.**High School Fund.**

In 1918 one of the most important matters and benefits the town has received was the allowance to the town from the heirs and children of the late Henry H. Rogers, the town's greatest benefactor, who gave the town our High School, the sum of Four Hundred and Seventy-nine Thousand (479,000) dollars, the interest from which will aggregate twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars annually for the support of the High School.

The said interest is forwarded to the Town Treasurer, by the Farmers Loan and Trust Co., of New York, who have charge of the Trust Fund, the accounts to be kept separate from all other town accounts by the Town Treasurer, and all accounts before payment approved by School Committee and the Board of Selectmen.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The first meeting of the Board of Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor was held February 4, 1919, and organized with the choice of John I. Bryant as chairman, and Thomas W. Whitfield as clerk. Miss Lillian H. Simas was chosen as secretary of the Board of Overseers of the Poor.

At a Special Town Meeting held November 12, 1919, it was voted to approve the action of the Selectmen in selling a part of the old Town Farm to Mina Jacobs, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500). It was also voted to instruct the Selectmen to sign deeds of conveyance for the Town of the so-called Town Farm on the east side of North Main Street, and the tract of land known as Spooner's Point on the north side of the Howland Road, near the Acushnet River.

On January —, 1920, the Selectmen sold the so-called Spooner's Point, five acres more or less, to the Fairhaven Mills Corporation for a mill site, for the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), which was placed to the credit of the Incidental Account.

The Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor most earnestly recommend that a new barn be built at the Town Farm for a sum not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000). The old barn at this institution is in a delapidated condition and it is impossible to take care of the stock at farm in a proper way unless we have a new barn.

Our Town Hall is sadly in need of repairs. The boilers and plumbing, which have been in use for twenty-five years, are fast wearing out. Some parts of the clock also need repairs, and there is some brick work which ought to be repaired this year in order to keep this beautiful building in the condition in which it should be.

There are many financial problems coming up in this present Town Meeting, and we earnestly ask the support of the citizens of the Town in these matters.

Since selling Spooner's Point to the Fairhaven Mills, we have been asked to lay out three streets at once, as

they expected to commence building houses there in the spring. In relation to our highways and streets, we have always received what is known as the "Street Railway Tax", which, under the law, was to be used in the Street Department, and has been, up to the present time. A recent act of the Legislature has taken this tax, which amounted to something over Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000), away from the Town, and this will leave our Street Department short that amount. Therefore, we most earnestly ask the Town to make the Highway appropriation at least Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) larger than in previous years.

In 1916, the Legislature authorized the counties of the Commonwealth to build County Tubercular Hospitals. Bristol County, of course, was forced by the Legislature to build a hospital, and that hospital, about three miles from the center of the City of Attleboro, is now completed. Each town in the County has to bear its proportional part, under the law, for constructing the building, and a recent letter from the Clerk of the Courts notified our Board that our share in constructing the building will amount to about Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000), and for maintenance since it was opened Eight Hundred Eighty-nine Dollars (\$889.00).

We have authority, under the law, to hire this money on note or notes for twenty years. Of course, this indebtedness, with the addition to the "Job Tripp School" which is asked for, of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) more, will bring our indebtedness up to more than One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000) for these two measures, one authorized by the State and the other by necessity for the school children.

There are many other financial problems which you will find in the Annual Town Report, all of which is most respectfully submitted.

As part of the requirements of the Town for the coming year we report the following for debt and interest:

Howland Road Sewer Note,	\$500.00
Motor Chemical Wagon Note,	560.00
Bridge Maintenance and Repair Note,	400.00
Howland Road Sewer Note,	300.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Note,	1,100.00
Refunding Loan Note,	400.00
Oxford School House Note,	1,400.00
Refunding Loan Note,	650.00
Fort Street Extension Note,	300.00
Green and Watson Street Sewer Note,	500.00
Refunding Loan Note,	400.00
Refunding Loan Note,	450.00
Adams Street Construction and Awards Note,	500.00
Bridge Street School House Note,	1,900.00
Green Street Sewer Note,	400.00
Farmfield Street Construction and Awards Note,	500.00
Garrison Street Sewer Note,	310.00
Refunding Loan Note,	500.00
Sconticut Neck Road Note,	1,000.00
Sycamore Street Sewer Note,	2,000.00
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	\$14,070.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge Bond,	1,000.00
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	\$15,070.00
Interest on Bridge Bonds,	\$1,160.00
Interest on Notes,	6,200.00
Interest on Temporary Loans,	1,000.00
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	8,360.00
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	\$23,430.00

The Board most respectfully submit the following estimates for appropriations as asked for to maintain the various departments for the ensuing year:

Debt and interest,	\$23,430.00
Sewer department,	\$11,900.00
Poor department,	7,000.00
Fire department,	5,000.00
Fire alarm,	200.00
Highway department,	17,000.00
Hydrants,	5,000.00
Police department,	1,700.00
Town Hall,	4,500.00
Salaries,	5,500.00
Street lights,	4,000.00
Park department,	2,600.00
Incidental account,
Tree department,	2,000.00
Board of Health,	2,500.00
Shellfish Commission,
Mothers' Aid,
Vocational School,
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths,
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	\$92,330.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN I. BRYANT,
THOMAS W. WHITFIELD,
ISAAC N. BABBITT.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

At the beginning of the year, the Selectmen appointed Thomas W. Whitfield as superintendent of streets, and he, with William H. Bryant and George W. King, as foreman, under his supervision, had charge for the year of macadamizing and re-surfacing the streets.

The main work done by the general Highway Department the past year has been building and re-surfacing many streets of the Town. Many of them were re-surfaced with tar and sand. The new work consisted of macadamizing Green Street from Huttleston Avenue to Elm Street, and about three hundred feet on Elm Street, also the putting of a top surface of tar and gravel on the same.

The Howland Road was also rebuilt from the Coggeshall Street Bridge to Sycamore Street, and that also received a coat of tar and sand. Bridge Street from Delano Street to near the Alden Road was rebuilt with macadam and was also covered with a coating of tar and sand. Cedar Street was also macadamized and covered with tar and sand from Green Street to Chestnut Street, and Cottage Street from Green to Laurel was also tarred and sanded.

Many of the out-lying streets were repaired with cinders. The Long Road from Adams Street to Dana's ice house was put in very good condition with cinders, also Wilding Street from Adams Street east, and Blackburn Street was graded and cinder sidewalks built there. The New Boston Hill Road also received cinders and there was some work done on the Mill Road. The New Boston Road from the Rochester and Acushnet line for about a mile was put in fairly good condition with cinders, and we recommend that the same course be continued another year on some of these same streets which will put them in fairly good condition.

The Gellette and Weeden Roads have also had some repairs and will need some the coming year. Spring Street from Washington Street to the macadam was also put in passable condition with cinders, and Manhattan Ave-

nue was put in fairly good condition but needs more work another year.

More work can be accomplished in one day with a motor truck in carrying cinders to the out-lying districts than in any other way, and we hope, another year, to be able to make a much better showing with the out-lying districts if a motor truck is furnished by the Town. Many of the sidewalks in Town have also received careful consideration. Considerable patch work was done on several of the streets in the Town and the streets and gutters have been kept as clean as could be under the circumstances.

The citizens of the Town are most respectfully asked not to dump rubbish in the gutters of the streets as, in the first place, it is against the law, and in the second place, it makes a rather unsightly mess. So we hope that the citizens will co-operate with the Superintendent of Streets, whoever he may be, in this particular work. All of which is most respectfully submitted.

THOMAS W. WHITFIELD.

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN.

To the Citizens of Fairhaven, Mass.:

The Tree Warden hereby submits his Annual Report:

Much more work has been accomplished this past season owing to the increased appropriation. The spraying has been thoroughly done and thirty-three (33) dead trees removed. More dead trees should be removed, but we went as far as the money would permit.

We must not forget many of the trees are aged and will have to be removed from year to year. A great change will have to take place in the looks of the town as the beautiful elms are dying fast and will have to be taken down from year to year.

A visit from the State Inspector congratulating the town on the condition of the trees is worthy of notice.

The tree department has planted and replaced a great many trees the past season.

The Improvement Association appropriated the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) which supplied fifteen (15) maple trees, stakes and wire.

The Tree Warden feels that the condition of the trees are good and that the work of protection and care should be continued; and that young trees should be planted from year to year that the beauty of the town can be preserved and perpetuated.

The Tree Warden recommends the appropriation of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Respectfully submitted,

PETER MURRAY,

Tree Warden,

January 17, 1920.

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS.

January 12, 1920.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—The Board of Fire Engineers herewith present their annual report for year ending December 31, 1919:

During the past year the department has answered 20 still alarms and 12 bell alarms.

The needs of the department are many. We are obliged to ask for a motor propelled hook and ladder truck and a place to keep all our apparatus in.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSE S. GIFFORD,
ALEXANDER PRICE, JR.,
GEORGE E. JENNEY,

Board of Engineers.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit my annual report as Inspector of Animals for the year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919:

During the past year I have inspected 1201 animals, of which 658 were dairy cows, 212 young cattle, 17 bulls, 310 swine, 3 sheep and 1 goat.

The total number of premises inspected was 110, of which 17 were found to be unclean, 26 having poor ventilation, 31 improper drainage, 15 insufficient light and nine insufficient space.

One case of tuberculosis was found on Sconticut Neck, which was put in quarantine and finally condemned.

In March, cholera was found on the premises of three hog owners, 29 animals in all having the disease. The serum treatment was used and proved efficient, as 12 out of the 16 treated recovered, the remainder being too sick to make the treatment worth while. Subsequent visits were made to all infested places to see that the premises were properly cleaned and disinfected.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. H. SCHROEDER.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

For Year Ending December 31, 1919.

ORGANIZATION—The Board was organized with G. W. Valentine, Chairman, Wm. J. Fitzsimmons, Superintendent of Power House, and N. M. Paull, Clerk.

In September Mr. Paull resigned to accept a professorship at the University of North Carolina, and in December, at a joint meeting of the Boards of Selectmen and Sewer Commissioners, F. W. Morse was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy and was subsequently elected Clerk of the Board.

This Board wishes to take this opportunity to express its appreciation of the very valuable services rendered the Town of Fairhaven by Mr. Paull during the many years a member of the Board.

CONSTRUCTION—In compliance with a vote taken at the last annual Town Meeting there has been built approximately 1660 feet of 10-inch and 15-inch sewer in Sycamore Street, from Howland road northerly to Veranda Avenue.

It is very probable that the anticipated increase in dwellings in this section of the town will necessitate the construction of several lateral sewers in the immediate future.

CONNECTIONS—During the past year 10 connections have been repaired and 57 dwellings have been connected, making a total of 790 buildings now connected.

SHONE SYSTEM—Due to favorable weather conditions the Shone System has operated very satisfactorily

during the past year, yet as has been previously pointed out, this system, which was designed for conditions that existed 25 years back, is now seriously overburdened during periods of extraordinary rainfall and some flooded cellars and inconvenience must be expected at such times.

MAINTENANCE—Advancing costs of labor and fuel have caused an expenditure of twelve hundred dollars over the appropriation for 1919 and for the ensuing year we estimate the cost of sewer maintenance will be approximately ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars.

G. WINSTON VALENTINE,
WILLIAM J. FITZSIMMONS,
FRANK W. MORSE,

Board of Sewer Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The year has passed off without any serious epidemics, measles being the most prominent disease, with no deaths resulting. As the years go by the duties increase faster than the pay. The Board feels it should have increased pay to meet the high cost of living and additional work connected with it. The State requires more work and the town also.

The number of cases reported to the Board has been:

January 1, 1919 to January 1, 1920—Tuberculosis 13, whooping cough 1, tetanus 1, diphtheria 10, typhoid fever 1, measles 49, flu 37, chicken pox 2.

The collection of garbage has not been taken care of as well as we would like to have it and the collector will have to be paid more in order to do better work or else the town attend to it, and we think it would be the wiser plan for the town to do it.

The number of animals that have been slaughtered in town are: Cattle 1342, swine 203, calves 2,213, sheep 22.

Cattle condemned, 21. T. B. and blood poison.

Calves condemned, 26. Under size.

Hogs condemned, 4. Blood poison.

JOSEPH B. PECK,

CLARENCE A. TERRY,

DR. LESTER W. HORNE,

Board of Health.

SCHOOL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN

MASSACHUSETTS

FOR THE

YEAR 1919

In the School Committee, January 9, 1920.

Voted:—That the Report of the Superintendent of Schools be accepted and printed as the Report of the School Committee.

Voted:—That the Committee ask an appropriation of \$37,000 for the ensuing year and that the Town appropriate for Schools the sum returned to the Town by the State from the General School Fund.

ALTON B. PAULL,
LYMAN C. BAULDRY,
DANIEL W. KENDRICK,
DANIEL W. DEANE,
LEWIS E. BENTLEY,
H. HOWARD STILLMAN.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

DANIEL W. KENDRICK,	Term expires 1920
DANIEL W. DEANE,	Term expires 1920
LEWIS E. BENTLEY,	Term expires 1921
H. HOWARD STILLMAN,	Term expires 1921
LYMAN C. BAULDRY,	Term expires 1922
ALTON B. PAULL,	Term expires 1922

Chairman,
ALTON B. PAULL.

Secretary and Superintendent,
CHARLES F. PRIOR.

Superintendent's Office Hours:

Town Hall:—

8.15—9.00 A. M.—Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

4.00—5.00 P. M.—Every school day unless absent on
special business

7.00—8.00 P. M.—Wednesday.

High School:—

9.30—10.00 A. M.—Monday.

Regularly out of town:—

In Mattapoisett and Marion all day Tuesday.

In Acushnet a part of Thursday.

The Superintendent's Office is open with a clerk in charge daily from 9-12 and 1.30-5 except Saturdays when it is open only in the forenoon.

Telephone call at Town Hall, Fairhaven, 3891.

Telephone call at residence, 37 Laurel Street, 3499-W.

SCHOOL CALENDAR.

1919	
Monday, Dec. 29,	Schools re-open
1920	
Friday, Feb. 20,	Schools close
Monday, March 1,	Schools re-open
Monday, April 19, (Patriots Day)	Holiday
Friday, April 23,	Schools close
Monday, May 3,	Schools re-open
Monday, May 31, (Memorial Day)	Holiday
Friday, June 25,	Schools close
Tuesday, Sept. 7,	Schools re-open
Tuesday, Oct. 12, (Columbus Day)	Holiday
Wednesday, Nov. 24,	Schools close at noon
Monday, Nov. 29,	Schools re-open
Thursday, Dec. 24,	Schools close
1921	
Monday, Jan. 3,	School re-open

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL, 22.

For the benefit of those who have difficulty in remembering the significance of the no-school signal, the following is submitted for reference :—

The signal at 8.00 a. m. indicates no forenoon session for the three lowest grades.

The signal at 8.15 a. m. indicates no forenoon session for any of the eight grades of the elementary schools.

The signal at 12.30 noon, indicates no afternoon session for the first three grades.

The signal at 12.45 noon, indicates no afternoon session for any of the eight grades of the elementary schools.

The no school signals do not apply to the High school.

Schools are often in session when weather conditions make it unsuitable for some of the children to attend, in which case parents must make their own decisions.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Committee of Fairhaven:

Herewith is submitted my seventh annual report as superintendent of schools.

My period of service during the current year extends from May first. Permit me, at this time, to express to the Committee my appreciation of the opportunity granted me to engage in welfare work overseas. Without the aid of the Joint Committee of the District, it would have been impossible for me to have done so. The fact that I felt in a sense your representative "over there" gave added zeal to my efforts.

Financial Statement of Fairhaven School Committee, for the Fiscal Year, January 1, 1919 to January 1, 1920.

EXPENDITURES.

General Control:		
Superintendent	\$1,658.28	
Clerk	346.70	
Attendance officers	67.50	
School census	75.00	
Miscellaneous	303.97	
		\$2,451.45
Expense of Instruction:		
Teachers' salaries	\$25,820.97	
Text books	1,040.21	
Supplies	1,318.11	
		28,179.29
Operation of School Plant:		
Janitors' salaries	\$2,885.18	
Fuel	2,934.07	
Light, water, janitors' supplies.....	829.97	
		6,539.22
Auxiliary:		
Transportation	\$2,105.00	
Medical inspection	75.00	
		2,180.00
Miscellaneous:		
Printing, record forms, disinfectants, floor oil, cartage, express, etc.	\$587.47	
		587.47
Total Expenditures for Grade Schools, 1919...		\$44,724.05

Financial Statement of School Committee

Error: Janitor's Salaries,	2,775.18
Omission: Repairs and Equipment,	4,786.62

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1918	\$1,210.90
Appropriation, 1919	37,000.00
Rogers Fund, 1919	4,624.12
Edmund E. Anthony Fund, 1919	455.06
Pease Fund, 1919	343.92
County Dog Fund, 1919	751.96
General School Fund, 1919	2,400.00
John McCulloch	17.50
Supplies and sundries	21.06
Total available	\$46,824.52
Total expenditures	44,724.05
Balance, 1919	\$2,100.47

The detailed statement under each heading, given elsewhere in the report, shows specifically where the money has gone.

Following Are the Estimates for 1920:

General control	\$2,500.00
Teachers' salaries	31,000.00
Text books	1,100.00
Supplies	1,400.00
Janitors' salaries	3,200.00
Fuel	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	850.00
Transportation	2,350.00
Repairs	3,200.00
New equipment	350.00
Health	250.00
Sundries	600.00
Night School (compulsory next year)	500.00
Attendance officer (recommended)	500.00
Total	\$50,800.00

Explanation of the above estimates will be found under the various topics of the report. Income to meet these can be derived from the following sources:

Town appropriation	\$37,000.00
Appropriation of portion of General School Fund.....	6,100.00
Balance from 1919	2,100.00
Pease Fund, 1919	343.00
Edmund E. Anthony Fund, 1919	455.00
H. H. Rogers Fund, 1919	4,624.00
County Dog Tax, 1919	751.00
Total	\$51,373.00

Attendance.

The total enrollment in all schools during the year ending June, 1919, was 1,453; the average membership 1,175; the average attendance 1,086; the per cent. of attendance 92.5. There was an increase of 46 in total enrollment, but a decrease of 45 in average membership. The latter was undoubtedly largely due to the prevalence of contagious diseases. On December 19th, 1919, the actual enrollment was 1352. Of this number 1102 were in the grades. They were distributed by buildings as follows:

School.	Enrollment.	Number of Rooms.
Oxford,	354	8
Washington Street,	222	6
Job C. Tripp,	179	4
Rogers,	347	8
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Totals,	1,102	26

Attendance Officer.

The problem of better enforcing the compulsory school attendance laws needs your attention. With the growth in number of children, the enactment of child labor legislation, the constant transference of children from public to parochial school and vice versa, the presence of a large unstable element in the population, it is no longer possible with our present machinery to keep all children in school who are required by law to be there. A man or woman should be employed for half-time, whose business would include keeping the school census complete as well as following up all cases of truancy.

Building Needs.

The net **grade** enrollment, thus far is fully 100 more than that at the same time last year. There was an average annual increase of slightly over fifty pupils for the

previous seven years. The opening of the Job C. Tripp school and closing of the Old High two years ago netted three additional rooms. These enabled relief of the congestion at the Oxford and Washington Street schools, but made little provision for future growth. The rooms at the Washington Street school are again crowded and the Oxford school, even after the seventh and eighth grades have been transferred to the Rogers, is filled to its capacity. The Rogers school also has a capacity enrollment, if ordinarily good teaching conditions are to prevail.

Explanation of the relatively small capacity of the Washington Street school has been made in previous reports. The first grade rooms are small and seat less than thirty pupils each. The other rooms should never have more than thirty-five pupils. While it is an impractical proposition to recommend the abandonment of the Washington Street school, the physical welfare of the children demands emphatically that the membership be kept within limits. This matter was discussed in detail in the 1916 report. The room capacity in the other buildings has been reckoned at forty pupils. Satisfactory educational results cannot be secured in a class numbering more than thirty-five. There are at present nineteen schools having an enrollment of over forty and four having over fifty.

The membership of your schools will increase next year. A casual survey of the houses being erected is convincing proof of this. The recent purchases of land at the north end by the Bristol and Fairhaven Mills to provide housing facilities for their employees increase the seriousness of the problem of school accommodations. I recommend strongly that three rooms be added to the Job C. Tripp school before September, 1920.

In addition to this provision for the immediate needs of the schools, the town should make plans for the future. The population is increasing steadily and it will not be long before other buildings will be needed. If the selection of a site is delayed until the time for building, diffi-

culty will be experienced in securing one suitably located to meet educational needs. There are important considerations to be taken into account in the selection of a school site. I recommend that a committee be appointed at the next annual meeting, whose duty it shall be to make a study of the prospective building needs of the town and to submit a report on the same not later than the annual meeting in 1921.

Job C. Tripp School.

The site of this school is naturally poor. This was known when the building committee accepted it as a gift and decided to use it. It was expected, at that time, that the cost of grading would eventually equal the expense of purchasing a site. The determining factor in the decision to build here was the location, which is excellent, enabling the building to be used to relieve congestion at either the north or central portions of the town. The original plan calls for securing material for grading without undue expense as opportunity arises, and eventually for filling in and grading the grounds so that the building will have a good setting and this section of the town be much improved. Considerable material has already accumulated, but much more is needed. It is not desirable that unkempt conditions remain indefinitely. I recommend that the appropriation for enlarging the school be made sufficient to include the expense of grading so as to make the surroundings of the school more nearly in accord with the ideals of Fairhaven in such matters.

The arrangement of the building is admirable for school purposes. A prominent school man who saw it recently said that it was the best he had ever seen.

Seats are needed for the assembly room and furnishings for the two small rooms. With the former in place, a series of entertainments can be given by the children or outside talent to raise money for the purchase of pictures, statuary, etc., for decorative purposes. Completion of the

building and grading as planned will make the appearance of the school entirely satisfactory.

There has been little trouble with water in the basement since May. The guttering of the building this summer helped greatly. It is planned to water proof sections of the wall, if needed, when the addition is made, and is hoped thereby to keep the basement dry.

The heating plan of the building economized on radiation surface. This has been partly remedied and will soon be wholly so, it is hoped, when radiators now contracted for have been installed.

This school was built to meet an urgent need. It was built in the face of rising costs both in material and labor. The lowest bid for its construction had to be accepted. The architect was called to military service and a substitute was employed. These and other factors enabled some imperfections in construction. Nevertheless, in fundamental matters, the building is satisfactory, and it will be much more so when completed as planned.

Repairs.

It will be noted that the amount expended for repairs has been unusually large. They include several of an extensive nature. The toilets at the Rogers school always dark, had become also foul smelling. These conditions have been remedied by covering the walls with white waterproof cement and by the installation of modern porcelain urinals. The heating system of the same building has been thoroly overhauled. In addition to repair work, the walls of the Job C. Tripp school have been tinted and the roof guttered. Neither of these items were included in the contract for the building. The regular repairs for the year have been, of course, more expensive than usual.

Changing Teachers.

Twenty-six teachers were new to Fairhaven schools in September. Sixty-three per cent of the entire corps have resigned since the last report. The average annual loss for the past three years has been fifty-five per cent.

The teacher problem in Fairhaven is time worn. Every school report for ten years has presented it. Efforts have been made to solve it, but they have been ineffective because not strong enough. The need of present relief is urgent in the extreme. Half-way methods, as in the past, will prove futile. Unless good teachers can be retained in larger numbers for longer service the schools will continue to deteriorate. Retention depends upon salaries. In fixing these, comparison of Fairhaven's schedule with that of other towns similar in size is relatively useless. Some of these communities have low educational ideals and are content to continue them. To adopt their standard, as you have done in the past when raising salaries, means no improvement or probable deterioration. When the salary of your teachers was five hundred dollars per year, thirty per cent. of them changed annually. The salary was increased to five hundred-fifty, then to six hundred, and to six hundred-fifty and seven hundred, and last year to seven hundred-sixty. Each increase was designed to bring your salary to the average of towns in your class. Instead of losing less teachers, you lost more each year. Nor is this all,—it has become increasingly difficult to secure the same standard of teachers as in the past. The issue is not, therefore, whether Fairhaven wishes as good schools as some community with low educational ideals but,—Does Fairhaven wish **good** schools? If it does the town must bid for teachers with the cities and towns that realize the importance of education. There has always been a shortage of good teachers. Not enough are ever born or trained to meet the needs. Today the supply is so inadequate that communities which do not immediately awaken to the seriousness of the problem will find their schools rapidly losing present efficiency.

What towns and cities take teachers from Fairhaven? Naturally we lose more to New Bedford than to any other one place. The present minimum salary in the elementary schools of that city is \$1,000; the maximum \$1,350. Can Fairhaven compete for teachers with New Bedford?

It can if it so wishes; the tax rate in Fairhaven is lower. Perhaps it would be unwise to try to do so at present. But New Bedford takes relatively few of your teachers—only three out of twenty-six this year. Attleboro, Brockton, Norwood, Winthrop, Beverly, Everett, Medford,—these and other similar towns and cities take in the aggregate, many more than New Bedford. From figures true in October these places paid from one thousand to twelve hundred dollars. They probably pay more now. Salary increases have been almost universal since then. It is certain that any effort to maintain the present standard of teaching force in Fairhaven will require a maximum salary of \$1,200, and to stabilize the corps to any great extent will necessitate more. Up to November first the maximum grade salary of Fairhaven was \$850; most of the teachers received \$800. When the money from the new General School Fund was received a raise of \$100 was made. This will enable retention of most of the teachers until the end of this school year. What then?

Recommendations.

I recommend that an advance of \$100 be made effective next September for teachers whose personality, training, professional ability and zeal, gauged by that salary, warrant retention in your corps.

I recommend also that a schedule be adopted which will provide for a salary of \$1,200 to be reached after two years of service in your schools.

If these recommendations are adopted there will be need of little increase in the tax rate next year from this source. A law passed by the last legislature established a General School Fund from the redistribution of the income tax. Provision is made thereby for the subsidizing of education by the State to the end that educational opportunities may be more nearly equalized. Every town and city receives annually from this fund \$100 for each teacher, with specified training and experience, employed at a salary of \$650; \$150 for each teacher employed at a salary of

\$750; and \$200 for each teacher employed for \$850. On November 15th of this year Fairhaven received \$6,076 from this fund. Because of increases in salaries made effective November first, the town will receive, next year, \$8,720. Not all of this should be used for grade schools. A part of it accrues to the town because of the employment of high school teachers for which the town pays nothing. That sum should be appropriated for high school use (the problem there is discussed elsewhere). Over \$6,000 can be made available, however, for grade schools without any increase in tax rate. With the balance on hand, this sum will care for the increases already made for the remainder of the school year and enable the carrying out of the above schedule for next year.

The income from this school fund is paid into the general treasury and must be appropriated for the school department if so used. Since it is designed primarily to aid in the equalization of school opportunities, I respectfully recommend that it be asked for permanently for that purpose.

Besides the aid given as stated above to every town and city in the State, the new law grants supplementary aid to towns with a valuation of \$4,500 per pupil or less. As the valuation becomes less per pupil the aid becomes more. Fairhaven's valuation per pupil is too high to enable receipt of supplementary aid. It is obvious that the effect of the law will be a very much higher standard of salaries in even the poorer towns. It is only by this means that young women may be won back to the work of teaching. The present supply of good teachers is very inadequate. Your superintendent has today five vacancies in one of the towns of his district which he apparently cannot fill at a salary of \$850. The shortage in teachers is not theoretical. The crisis in the schools is real.

Elementary Schools.

In the report of the superintendent submitted in 1916 the junior high school was discussed at some length. This

was not printed owing to its lack of pertinence under existing conditions. Quoting from that report,—“In the junior high school there is a differentiated course of study to meet the needs of pupils of different tastes, capacities and aims, and there is departmental teaching like that of the regular high school. Pupils are given more liberty of action and choice and, not having the constant direction of one teacher, a greater degree of self-reliance is cultivated * * * It closes the gap between the elementary and high which admittedly exists at present.”

Organization of a junior high in Fairhaven awaits availability of a building. The Job C. Tripp school, completed, will easily accommodate three hundred upper grade pupils. The location of the building, central and near the high school in which the grades have manual training and domestic science, and the plan, which includes an assembly hall, are admirable for a junior high. Until, however, a new building is erected in the north part of the town this school will necessarily be used to relieve the congestion there. I approve heartily the plan adopted last year which segregates for the present the seventh and eighth grades in the Rogers school and introduces departmental teaching. The type of instruction and management in these grades is now such that the transition to full junior high work can easily be made when building and equipment are furnished.

School Work.

The grade curriculum in Fairhaven is not narrow. Effort is made to do well the work along established lines, viz.,—in the common school branches, but useless arithmetic, technical grammar, seldom used words in spelling,—these and other antiques have been largely eliminated. In all the subjects the course of study places due emphasis upon the practical. The teachers, however, not the course of study determine finally the worth of the product. Continuity of purpose and method cannot be secured with a constantly changing, relatively inexperienced corps. This

is the weakness in your system. Until it has been remedied, satisfactory results are unattainable.

A strong course in elementary science has been added this year. It was prepared and its instruction is being supervised in three buildings by Miss Verder, principal of the Rogers school. Some communities employ a special supervisor for this branch. Miss Verder's voluntary efforts are securing excellent results and are much appreciated by the school department. Much of the work is along the line of nature study. The aim of the course in Nature Study as stated by her is "to encourage in the child such a familiarity with out-door life that he may be at home in his entire environment. With this aim in mind, the child is taught concerning the stars and the clouds as well as concerning the forms of plant and animal life. In the first grade, the children visit a farm, thus gaining a common experience upon which some of the work is based. Throughout all the grades, lessons are given out of doors as well as in the classroom. Although in subject matter the work in the seventh and eighth grades, in which the science in the home and the community is dealt with, approaches that of elementary science in the High School, yet the methods used in teaching the same avoid the scientific approach. The result obtained from Nature study is an abiding interest in nature, rather than a scientific knowledge of natural phenomena."

Along the line of vocational guidance the study of occupations started three years ago in the eighth grades is continued. This work is correlated with English and drawing. In the former a vocational reader is used; in the latter maps are made of the community with reference to the occupations of the people. As a means of stimulating interest in occupations, visits are conducted to industrial plants, and persons of various trades and professions are secured to speak to the school. The aim is to arouse the thought of pupils relative to their part in the world's work and aid in the discovery of a liking for or ability in any special line of work.

Fairhaven schools receive much help from Millicent library. A splendid spirit of co-operation exists. An excellent list of up-to-date books for teachers is available; a school library is placed in any school wishing it. Lists of books for special use are promptly furnished and an excellent course in the proper use of the library is given upper grades by Miss Perry and Mr. Hill. There are few libraries that do so much for the public schools as this one.

The course in thrift given for two years has been replaced by a standard course arranged by Federal authorities. Manual training, dropped for one year because no instructor could be secured, was resumed in May. The course in physical training introduced last spring is being continued. The cooking and sewing for upper grades are proceeding as usual.

It is stated that the new method of the school is a co-operative method "under which pupils take an active part in the recitation and in the various exercises of the school." Under the old method it was the business of the pupil to keep quiet, learn his lessons and speak when spoken to. The so-called new ideal—it is not new—is the development of self activity on the part of the pupil. Real teachers are necessary for the realization of this. A most encouraging characteristic of the grade work this year is the evidence in many school rooms of intelligent effort toward this end.

Evening School for Illiterates.

The law requires that "Every city or town in which there are issued, during the year, from September first to August thirty-first, certificates authorizing the employment of twenty or more persons who do not possess educational qualifications enumerated in section one of chapter forty-four of the Revised Laws, shall maintain during the following year an evening school." Twenty-five such certificates have been issued. Fairhaven is under legal obligation to maintain an evening school next year. The minimum length of time this must be in session is forty nights. The estimated expense, including teaching, janitor service,

books and supplies will be about \$500. Provision must be made for this in the appropriation.

High School.

The present high school enrollment is 250, a gain of 25 over that of last year. Of this number 180 are from Fairhaven, 46 from Mattapoisett, 15 from Acushnet and 9 from Rochester.

After serving as principal, for nearly fourteen years, Mr. A. B. Kimball resigned in June. In the work of organizing the school and establishing its work in the new building, Mr. Kimball rendered a difficult and valuable service to the town. During his principalship, the number of students increased greatly, excellent scholastic standing was maintained, and an unusually large proportion of graduates was sent to higher institutions. The successor to Mr. Kimball is Mr. George C. Dickey, who was selected after a very careful examination of the qualifications of thirty-five candidates. There is every indication thus far that a wise choice has been made and that the high school has entered upon a new period of growth in usefulness to the youth of Fairhaven and vicinity.

The high school faculty numbers at present thirteen full-time teachers and two half-time teachers, besides the instructors in drawing and vocal music. In September six full-time and two part-time teachers were new to the school. This was almost a repetition of the situation obtaining the previous year. Until within three years the problem of a changing teaching force in the high school has been inconsiderable. From now on unless relief is obtained in some way it will be as acute as in the grades. The donor could not foresee present conditions. The endowment would be sufficient in normal times for maintaining the high standard of earlier years, but it is insufficient in these abnormal times. The care and upkeep of the building has always been of necessity relatively high and the latter item naturally costs more as the building ages. Every item in the budget has mounted skyward with a result obvious to

anyone, viz.: the standard of attainment must be lowered if we are to live within our present income. The Committee cannot control the need of repairs, books and supplies, fuel, or of other items in the budget, nor can it by shrewdness of bargaining lessen materially the cost of these. It can, however, and must in the present condition of its finances, let teachers go to better paying positions after one year of service here. Any high school in which half the teachers are new every year becomes shortly a second-class school. Fairhaven high is faced with this possibility. What can be done to prevent this? Fortunately the town can provide the means without recourse to taxation. It can appropriate to high school use the money returned from the General School Fund because of the employment of high school teachers. In common fairness this should be done. The thirteen regular teachers, paid entirely from the endowment fund, will bring to the town next year \$2,600. This sum applied to teachers' salaries will solve the problem in the high school. In view of the fact that there is not a woman teacher in the corps who receives as much as a grade teacher in New Bedford, and that there are several who receive less than the maximum in the grades of Fairhaven, can anyone doubt the justice of this measure?

The following table shows income and expenditures of the year:

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURES.	
Balance,	\$106.51	General Control,	\$35.21
Tuition from Acushnet,	975.00	Text Books,	254.49
Tuition from Rochester,	225.00	Supplies,	2,204.78
Tuition from Mattapoisett,	2,000.00	Teachers,	17,425.50
Farmers' Loan and Trust Co.,	24,411.25	Janitors' salaries,	4,319.96
A. B. Kimball,	99.35	Fuel,	640.06
J. G. McDonald,	20.00	Miscellaneous,	1,355.44
H. S. Lunch Dept.,	450.00	Repairs,	1,034.45
School Department,	5.40	Health,	120.00
		Sundries (operation),	612.01
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		Balance, Jan. 1, 1920,	\$28,001.90
			290.61
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	\$28,292.51		\$28,292.51

The question of operating a broader type of secondary school has been raised. Under present conditions this is not practicable. It could not be done without changes in the building, additional equipment, and increased operating expenses. Some modifications in the course of study are under consideration, but beyond these the present direction of progress in the school lies clearly along the line of perfecting the present organization. Fortunately breadth of view characterized the plans of those who established the school. A high school that does excellent work in the academic subjects, gives a strong commercial course that fits graduates directly for good positions, provides a thorough domestic science course for every girl, utilizes an especially good equipment in manual training, instructs very efficiently in mechanical drawing, has an excellent course in printing, requires every pupil to take a course in physical training,—such a high school cannot be justly accused of being narrow. It may as well be accepted as a fact that a public high school cannot do everything; it cannot be a successful high school and a trade school. Everyone believes in emphasizing the utilitarian value of education; there is a tendency to leave too little opportunity for the type of training that develops thinkers.

The schools of the past were not failures. Notably useful men were included in their products. If they emphasized too much mere book education, we should be careful not to over emphasize so-called "practical" education. The country needs broadly informed, thoughtful men and women today more than ever before. There is room for improvement in the academic work of the school and the immediate emphasis should be placed in this direction. With the New Bedford Vocational school freely open to every boy and girl in Fairhaven through the co-operation of town and state, it would be unwise to attempt in Fairhaven high school very much along distinctly vocational lines.

The continuation school problem dealing with children between fourteen and sixteen who have left school is

not ripe for solution here. If it was, facilities other than those in the high school would need to be provided. When the time is opportune for organization of a complete junior high provision can be made if necessary for this type of school work.

The efficiency of the American soldier has been attributed to the high quality of the schools of this country. Undoubtedly this is true. Despite imperfections the aim of our educational system is broad; it strives for the complete development of the individual. It is certain that the breadth of training in such schools as Fairhaven high assisted those who received it in their transformation from civilians to soldiers. Ninety-seven men, undergraduates and alumni, entered the service. There is not a blot on the record of any of them. One paid the supreme sacrifice. They deserve to be remembered. A tablet bearing their names will be placed on the walls of the high school.

Health Supervision and Physical Training.

The war brought into relief the problem of health. More than one-third of the registrants under the selective service act were rejected because of physical unfitness. It is impossible to state exactly how many of these defects could have been eliminated by attention earlier in life, but undoubtedly the proportion is large. There is a strong tendency to insist that the schools give more attention to health, supervision and physical training. Fairhaven schools are fairly up to date along these lines, but there is need of progress in the direction of medical inspection. The state law has required for years that "The school committee of every city or town shall cause every child in the public schools to be separately and carefully tested at least once in every school year to ascertain whether he is suffering from any disability or defect tending to prevent his receiving the full benefit of his school work." In common, with many other smaller towns, Fairhaven has never expended sufficient money for medical inspection in the schools to enable this work to be done thoroughly. In only one year

during the last seven has there been an examination which was careful enough to be worth while. During the last three years the community nurse has given a part of her time to the schools and has referred to the school physician many cases. This has been very valuable work, but is not enough. It cannot replace the physical examination called for by the law.

It was with regret that the school department learned of the resignation of Miss Anna Perry as community nurse. During her term of service the health conditions in the schools have been much improved. Minor contagious diseases have greatly lessened in number; many pupils have had eyes and teeth cared for and adenoids and tonsils removed thru her "follow up" visits. These children will be mentally and physically more useful citizens as well as happier ones because of her efforts. The new community nurse, Miss Creed, will continue the work of Miss Perry. She comes with excellent credentials and has entered upon her duties with a splendid spirit. There can be no question of the value of the nurse either to the community or to the schools. There is now an excellent spirit of co-operation with the nurse in many homes.

Report of Nurse for 1919.

Cases of adenoids and tonsils,	144
Cases of defective teeth,	25
Cases of defective hearing,	6
Cases of impetigo,	9
Cases of pediculosis,	119
Miscellaneous diseases,	49
School visits,	104
Follow-up visits in homes,	412
Number of children under care,	299

Fairhaven schools have had systematic physical training for fourteen years with the exception of portions of 1918 and 1919, when it was impossible to secure an instructor. Previous to last year one instructor gave all the work at the high school, and visited the grades monthly, super-

vising a system of gymnastics there. The high school girls now receive their training from a woman teacher who gives part time to this work, while the high school boys are instructed by a man who gives part time to the grades. This arrangement is producing excellent results.

Americanization.

Another problem which the war has brought to the surface is that of transforming aliens into American citizens. Registration for the selective draft revealed that there were 730,000 young men out of ten million who could not write their names and as many more who could not speak English. The presence of illiteracy in the army directed attention to it elsewhere. According to the census of 1910 there were 5,500,000 persons in the United States who could not read or write English. Can there be any doubt that a fertile field for dangerous doctrines is found in this large number of illiterates in our country? The war proved this to be true and events since have driven the lesson home. Sentiment everywhere is strongly in favor of measures which will eliminate illiteracy and give aliens some conception of the duties and privileges of citizenship in the United States. Massachusetts has its full proportion of illiterate aliens. Fairhaven has some. It is hoped that the Federal government will pass the bill now pending, assisting the states in the organization of schools for Americanization. In the mean time it is the duty of every community to do something toward that end. The evening school established in Fairhaven next year will help train for citizenship those "illiterates" between the ages of 16 and 21. It would be a fine expression of real patriotism on the part of the town or on the part of some organization in the town to finance an effort to reach adult alien citizens. Many communities have established evening schools for this class. English, written and oral, is taught in these, and simple talks on United States history and the duties of citizenship are given.

New School Laws.

The educational legislation of 1919 included several laws far reaching in effect. The establishment of the General School Fund to equalize educational opportunities has been mentioned. Another important enactment raised the educational standard set for pupils who may leave school. Completion of the sixth grade by the child instead of the fourth is now required. Making normal progress a child finishes the eighth grade at fourteen or earlier. Those compelled to remain in school for two additional years, are with occasional exceptions, retarded pupils. Many of them will profit little by the work of the ordinary grade. A different type of instruction is demanded. There are many other pupils who should have special attention. The retention of children in school to meet the legal standard necessary to be employed emphasizes the need of special classes. There is a new law requiring that these be formed when the retardation is as much as three years. It reads as follows:

"The school committee of each city and town shall, within one year after the passage of this act, and annually thereafter, ascertain, under regulations prescribed by the board of education and the director of the commission on mental diseases, the number of children three years or more retarded in mental development who are in attendance upon the public schools of its city or town, or who are of school age and reside therein.

"At the beginning of the school year of nineteen hundred and twenty, the school committee of each city and town in which there are ten or more children three years or more so retarded shall establish special classes to give such children instruction adapted to their mental attainments, under regulations prescribed by the board of education."

It is certain that the tests mentioned will reveal more than ten pupils in our schools to whom the law applies. Plans should be made for the organization of a special class next year.

The aftermath of the war is here. Many great problems are before America. The beginning of their solution is now. Their ultimate settlement is of the future. The result lies in the physical, mental and moral qualities of coming generations. These depend upon the efficiency of the institutions charged with the development of clear-thinking and clean living. The work of the home, the church, and the school will determine the safety and permanence of our government. The true patriot is giving more attention and whole-hearted support to these than ever before. The theoretical importance of education in a republic is obvious and is always recognized. Practical recognition of its claims is often evaded. Theory and practice should become partners.

I wish to express to the Committee my appreciation of the many kindnesses shown me and the loyal support always given to every effort to advance the interests of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. PRIOR.

TABULATED GRADES, TEACHERS, ATTENDANCE, ETC.

School Year—September, 1918, June, 1919.

SCHOOL	Grades	TEACHERS	Whole Number Enrolled	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent Attendance	Total Days Absence	Cases of Tardiness	No. Weeks in Year
High	High	Albert B. Kimball	230	209	201.2	96.3	305	32	36
Job C. Tripp	4	Lydia Raymond	50	38.1	36.2	95.0	331	26	36
Job C. Tripp	3	R. Alida Lallane	47	41.7	38.5	92.3	540.5	39	
Job C. Tripp	2 & 3	Marguerite B. Greene	50	40.5	37.4	92.3	519.5	36	
Job C. Tripp	1	Edith I. Benson	52	41.0	36.7	89.5	834.0	46	
Oxford	6	Myra D. Crowell	42	35.0	33.6	96.0	265.0	22	
Oxford	5	Edith Kendrick	46	36.0	33.8	93.8	394.5	88	
Oxford	4	Doris Hardy	44	35.2	33.1	94.0	454.5	83	
Oxford	4	Grace M. Toothaker	35	28.6	27.0	94.4	225.5	56	
Oxford	3	Olive M. Raymond	57	48.0	45.0	93.7	467.0	21	
Oxford	2	Lillian Robinson							
		Ethelyn M. Bragdon							
		Gertrude F. Hulse	46	37.7	34.8	92.3	510.0	47	
Oxford	1 & 2	Rachel Kennedy	41	35.0	32.4	92.5	443.5	15	
Oxford	Sub. P.	Dorothy Fuller							
		Margaret Burding	59	48.5	42.9	88.4	930.0	54	
Washington St.	4	Mary F. Follansbee							
		Maude Johnston	51	38.8	35.6	91.7	535.5	51	

Washington St.	3	Edna Russell	49	38.7	35.7	92.4	611.5	14
Washington St.	2	Sylvia A. Wilson	57	38.6	35.2	91.1	586.5	36
Washington St.	1 & 2	Ruth Hutchinson						
	1	Carrie L. Bowman	59	31.7	27.6	87.1	676.5	85
Washington St.	1	Mary A. S. Sale	39	26.3	22.6	85.9	604.5	25
Washington St.	1	Ethelene Barnard	36	27.0	23.9	88.5	531.5	29
Rogers	8	Ruth E. Wells	27	23.9	22.2	92.8	289.5	11
Rogers	8	Bessie C. Verder						
		Grace I. Woodbury	47	39.4*	37.7	95.6	295.5	17
Rogers	7	Mary A. Newburg	52	44.2	41.6	94.1	442.0	58
Rogers	7	Doris C. Rankin	53	42.7	40.5	94.8	361.0	34
Rogers	6	Naomi L. Babson	45	35.6	33.2	93.2	406.0	17
Rogers	6	Annie S. Melrose	48	37.6	36.8	97.8	543.0	18
Rogers	5	Mattie L. Norris	42	37.0	35.0	94.5	384.0	23
Rogers	5	Sarah M. Curtis						
		Helen O. Huntress	49	39.0	36.0	92.3	215.0	10
		Totals, 1919	1453	1174.8	1086.2	92.5	12702.0	993
		Totals, 1918,	1407	1220.5	1148.2	93.3	12411.0	895
		Totals, 1917	1360	1160.8	1089.2	93.8	14054.5	877
		Totals, 1916	1282	1084.4	1028.8	94.9	10436.0	820
		Totals, 1915	1167	1014.2	963.4	95.	8040.0	658

PRESENT CORPS OF TEACHERS.**High School Teachers, 1919-1920.**

George C. Dickey	Worcester Polytechnic Institute Harvard
Ruby R. Dodge	Smith College
Eunice E. Strong	Oread Institute Teachers' College, Columbia University
Susan P. Gifford	New Bedford Normal University of Grenoble Alliance Francaise, Paris
Alvin J. Long	Braun & Sharpe Mfg. Co. Rhode Island School of Design Teachers' College
Charles H. Woodbury	Tufts A. B.
Emma A. Coombs	Normal School—Castine
Gladys S. Jennison	Chandler School for Women B. U. College of Business Administration
Ethel M. Perry	Wellesley, B. A. Harvard Summer School
Anna E. Corey	State Normal School (Framingham)
James Parkinson	New Bedford Vocational School Boston Sloyd Normal Training School Wentworth Institute Extension Course, State Swain Free School
D. Sanford Parker	Springfield Training School
Helen E. Wight	Boston University, A. B.
Grace M. Clogston	Simmons College
Ruth M. Cady	Sargent Normal School School for Social Workers Boston University Harvard Summer School
Mary U. Yaffee	Massachusetts Normal Art School Summer Session, Columbia University

Rogers School.

Bessie C. Verder	Farmington, Maine State Normal Middlebury College, B. S. Brown University, M. A. Oxford University, England
Grace I. Woodbury	Tufts College
Mary A. Newburg	Fitchburg, Mass. Normal School Columbia University
Doris C. Rankin	Bridgewater State Normal School
Ruth J. Cole	Jackson College, A. B.
Edith L. Mylott	Bridgewater State Normal
Edith B. Swedberg	Framingham State Normal
Alice E. Baker	South Lancaster Academy Farmington, Maine State Normal
Mattie L. Norris	Fairhaven, Mass., High School Johnson School, Boston (Sewing)

Oxford School.

Myra D. Crowell	Bridgewater Normal
Susan G. B. Bowles	Bridgewater Normal
Edith C. Kendrick	Framingham Normal School
Alice A. Macomber	Moses Brown School, Providence, R. I.
Clara C. Hoopes	Maryland State Normal
Ella P. McNear	Framingham Normal
Alice G. Manley	Salem Normal
Elsie W. Prime	Newburyport Training
Dorothy Fuller	Bridgewater Normal
Margaret M. Burding	Bridgewater Normal

Washington Street School.

Mildred Goss	Fitchburg Normal School
Mary A. S. Sale	Framingham Normal
Carrie L. Bowman	Hyannis Normal
Sylvia A. Wilson	Aroostook Maine Normal
	Hyannis Normal (Summer sessions)
Edna K. Russell	Keene Normal School
Annie E. Denson	Bridgewater Normal School

Job C. Tripp School.

Almira E. Fuller	Wheelock Kindergarten Training School
	Harvard University Summer School
Edith I. Benson	Wheelock Kindergarten Training School
Maude Johnston	Farmington, Maine Normal School
Marguerite B. Greene	Keene Normal, Keene, N. H.

Supervisors.

Anna B. Trowbridge	Silver Burdett School
Mary U. Yaffee	Mass. Normal Art School
	Summer Session, Columbia University
D. Sanford Parker	Springfield Training School

HONOR ROLL OF F. H. S. SERVICE MEN.

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| 1 | Adshead, Harold F., '17 | 51 | Hoerstedt, Lester, '18 |
| 2 | Alden, Harold C., '16 | 52 | Hulse, Herbert J., '11 |
| 3 | Allard, Edwin B., '20 | 53 | Jackson, Howard O., '19 |
| 4 | Allard, Stephen W., '12 | 54 | Jackson, Leo. T., '17 |
| 5 | Ashley, Clifford H., '09 | 55 | Jones, Melvin, '16 |
| 6 | Babbitt, Frank N., '14 | 56 | Knipe, Paul L., '09 |
| 7 | Baker, Foster, '13 | 57 | Leonard, Everett G., '14 |
| 8 | Ball, Stephen E., '20 | 58 | Lilley, Frank, '11 |
| 9 | Beardsley, Ralph, '17 | 59 | Lincoln, Harold C., '14 |
| 10 | Blackwell, Malcolm G., '18 | 60 | Lincoln, Percy G., '11 |
| 11 | Bowen, Evan A., '16 | 61 | Martin, James E., '15 |
| 12 | Bradley, Everett M., '15 | 62 | McAuliffe, John, '19 |
| 13 | Bradley, Theodore R., '16 | 63 | McNeal, Lynton, '20 |
| 14 | Brown, Frank Eben, '08 | 64 | Monk, Audell, '13 |
| 15 | Brownell, Edwin P., '15 | 65 | Morse, Harold, '11 |
| 16 | Campbell, Donald R., '17 | 66 | Morton, Byron, '13 |
| 17 | Church, Charles, '08 | 67 | Murray, Herman A., '17 |
| 18 | Church, Leonard, '14 | 68 | Nye, Alfred, '09 |
| 19 | Clark, William H., '17 | 69 | Parkin, Henry E., '19 |
| 20 | Cook, Edward E., '16 | 70 | Perkins, Edwin La F., '15 |
| 21 | Corson, Everett H., '11 | 71 | Perry, Charles F., Jr., '14 |
| 22 | Crandon, Albert, '10 | 72 | Rebello, Manuel H., '17 |
| 23 | Cummings, Malcolm, '17 | 73 | Saunders, Herbert H., '17 |
| 24 | Dean, Sheldon, '11 | 74 | Sheehan, Paul S., '11 |
| 25 | De Costa, Antone, '12 | 75 | Sherman, Edward P. F., '15 |
| 26 | Delano, Wm. Blumers, '15 | 76 | Slocum, Walter P., '15 |
| 27 | Denham, Nathan B., Jr., '13 | 77 | Spooner, Harold, '13 |
| 28 | Dennie, Richard A., '16 | 78 | Stillman, Harold, '13 |
| 29 | Dexter, Harold S., '11 | 79 | Sullivan, Mark, '19 |
| 30 | Ede, Raymond W., '16 | 80 | Swift, Charles Forrest, '11 |
| 31 | Ellis, Charles W., '11 | 81 | Tallman, William, '10 |
| 32 | Ellis, Edward P., '10 | 82 | Terry, Clarence, '12 |
| 33 | Emberson, Thos. C., '12 | 83 | Thompson, Chauncey A., '16 |
| 34 | Fish, Raymond D., '16 | 84 | Tinkham, Earl, '10 |
| 35 | Foster, Albert E., '15 | 85 | Tinkham, Louis H., '13 |
| 36 | Fuller, John A., '21 | 86 | Tripp, Curtis C., '14 |
| 37 | *Ganter, Adrian, '13 | 87 | Tripp, John H., '14 |
| 38 | Gillingham, Dana, '08 | 88 | Tripp, Stanley R., '16 |
| 39 | Gillingham, James, '11 | 89 | Tuthill, Samuel, '13 |
| 40 | Gilmore, Benj., '12 | 90 | Vaughan, Eliot S., '17 |
| 41 | Goddard, Arthur, '09 | 91 | Veiga, Edwin J., '17 |
| 42 | Goddard, Myron C., '15 | 92 | White, Bradford C., '17 |
| 43 | Grant, William J., '15 | 93 | Westgate, Edward C., '16 |
| 44 | Gurney, Edward H., '07 | 94 | Whiting, Earl S., '17 |
| 45 | Hammond, Allen D., '15 | 95 | Wilde, Webster, '15 |
| 46 | Hammond, Elton F., '14 | 96 | Winsor, Allen P., '08 |
| 47 | Haney, Carleton E., '15 | 97 | Young, William L., '19 |
| 48 | Hartley, Greenwood, '18 | | |
| 49 | Hawes, William L., '18 | | |
| 50 | Haydon, Richard H. D. | | |

*Gave his life.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL EXPENDITURES.

(Itemized)

Superintendent.

Charles F. Prior,	\$1,213.84
Oliver H. Toothaker,	444.44
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	\$1,658.28

Clerk.

Madge K. Westgate,	\$346.70
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Truant Officers.

Joseph Silva,	\$10.00
Charles H. Lawton,	57.50
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	\$67.50

School Census.

Oliver H. Toothaker,	\$75.00
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Office Expenses.

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	\$26.67
Oliver H. Toothaker,	21.69
The Fairhaven Star,	88.35
W. M. Allen, Postmaster,	36.00
R. Alida Lalanne,	12.00
Charles F. Prior,	73.28
Wright & Potter,	1.02
Library Bureau,	24.16
Alton B. Paull,	4.30
Sylvia Almy,	3.00
Margaret Porter,	4.00
F. S. Brightman,	3.00
Manifold Supplies Co.,	\$6.50
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	\$303.97

Text Books.

Benj. H. Sanborn,	\$56.07
American Book Co.,	101.44
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	48.90
D. C. Heath & Co.,	44.88
The Macmillan Co.,	33.05
Edward E. Babb Co.,	344.43
Charles E. Merrill Co.,	14.28
E. A. Merriam,	2.50
John C. Winston Co.,	47.62
Ginn & Co.,	169.09
Little, Brown Co.,	7.98
B. W. Huebsch,	2.08
Beckley-Cardy Co.,	1.00
The Century Co.,	19.58
School Arts Magazine,	10.00
Milton Bradley Co.,	12.50
A. S. Barnes Co.,	6.80
Sybil K. Leonard,	26.95
Lyons & Carnahan,	56.39
Rand, McNally Co.,	2.44
A. W. Shaw Co.,	1.80
The Palmer Co.,	6.93
F. A. Owen Publishing Co.,	7.50
Massachusetts Child Labor Committee,	16.00
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	\$1,040.21

Supplies.

A. E. Coffin Press,	\$1.35
Atkinson-Mentzer & Co.,	2.53
F. S. Brightman Co.,	4.45
Edward E. Babb Co.,	583.94
S. A. Courtes,	2.00
The Novelty Press,	.75
The School Specialty Co.,	4.00
J. L. Hammett Co.,	266.66
D. J. Sullivan,	2.00

The Fairhaven Star,	186.85
American Book Co.,	16.00
C. C. Birchard Co.,	8.00
New Bedford Dry Goods Co.,	9.35
The Prang Co.,	53.86
Boston Paper Board Co.,	90.00
Oliver Ditson Co.,	10.17
Milton Bradley Co.,	16.54
Rand, McNally Co.,	24.00
H. I. Dallman,	12.97
C. E. Doner,	15.09
Scott, Foresman Co.,	1.30
Russell Sage Foundation,	1.00
Charles F. Wing Co.,	.30
The Browne Pharmacy,	5.00
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	\$1,318.11

Teachers.

Bessie C. Verder,	\$1,295.00
Mary A. Newberg,	825.00
Grace I. Woodbury,	828.50
Ruth E. Wells,	450.00
Doris C. Rankin,	722.25
Mattie L. Norris,	967.00
Annie S. Melrose,	450.00
Naomi L. Babson,	444.13
Mrs. Percy I. Fletcher,	309.13
Helen O. Huntress,	342.00
Carrie L. Bowman,	801.30
Maude Johnston,	746.25
Myra D. Crowell,	1,165.75
Edith C. Kendrick,	805.00
Grace I. Toothaker,	450.00
Lillian Robinson,	450.00
Olive Raymond,	372.00
Gertrude F. Hulse,	683.75
R. Alida Lalanne,	528.00

Lydia Raymond,	420.00
Marguerite B. Greene,	665.00
Edith I. Benson,	526.00
Ethalene M. Barnard,	588.00
Mary A. S. Sale,	808.50
Edna K. Russell,	820.00
Sylvia A. Wilson,	799.38
Ruth Hutchinson,	37.50
Rachael Kennedy,	446.25
Dorothy Fuller,	662.00
Bessie P. Willcott,	185.25
Eunice A. Randall,	384.00
Anna B. Trowbridge,	535.00
Margaret Burding,	618.50
Clara K. Bowers,	3.50
Elizabeth Weeks,	2.50
Mrs. George B. Luther,	9.38
Mildred Brink,	11.65
D. Sanford Parker,	360.00
Mary U. Yaffee,	280.00
Mrs. H. T. Brown,	8.00
Alice Manley,	112.50
Mrs. Chester Kendrick,	8.00
Mrs. Richardson,	4.00
Alice Macomber,	67.50
Mrs. Ralph Baker,	3.50
Caroline J. Starr,	11.25
Edward J. Hines,	326.25
Mrs. H. T. Gidley,	85.00
Mrs. Ralph Lumbard,	11.25
Mrs. Sybil Leonard,	18.75
James Parkinson,	296.50
Alice E. Baker,	335.00
Susan Bowles,	335.00
Gladys Buttrick,	140.00
Ruth J. Cole,	367.50
Annie E. Denson,	335.00
Almira Fuller,	375.00

Mildred Goss,	415.00
Clara Hoopes,	335.00
Ella P. MacNear,	326.00
Edith Mylott,	347.50
Elsie Prime,	335.00
Edith B. Swedberg,	335.00

\$25,820.97

Transportation.

Union Street Railway Co.,	\$1,095.00
John Eldredge,	410.00
Mrs. John Eldredge,	200.00
Poor Department,	400.00

\$2,105.00

Janitors.

Charles H. Lawton,	\$775.00
A. H. Austin,	180.00
Thomas Barnes,	681.24
Williard L. Hoxie,	545.00
William B. Weeks,	66.00
William H. Delano,	527.94

\$2,775.18

Fuel.

Hope E. Lincoln, agent,	\$2,319.42
E. S. Whiting, Jr., agent,	560.04
Frank Andrews,	16.00
George Randall,	30.86
Ben Alberts,	4.25
Charles H. Lawton,	3.50

\$2,934.07

Light, Water, Janitors' Supplies, Etc.

New Bedford Gas & Edison Light Co.,	\$221.30
William F. Church,	18.22
Horace K. Nye,	11.14
Masury-Young Co.,	48.85
High School lunch department,	1.50
Joseph Damas,	1.50
West Disinfecting Co.,	72.00
Frank J. Jameson,	1.31
Herbert W. Bliss,	2.40
Massachusetts State Prison,	11.50
Fairhaven Water Co.,	334.47
Henry C. Dougherty	69.00
George T. Johnson Co.,	11.50
William H. Delano,	4.77
William Livesley,	15.41
John T. Sutcliff,	5.10
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	\$829.97

Repairs.

F. W. Fraits,	\$25.05
M. P. Whitfield,	155.53
L. W. Morton,	74.04
N. P. Hayes,	23.23
James Goggin,	15.00
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co.,	180.00
Earnest Harworth Co.,	27.60
Arthur C. Smith,	9.88
Alvin Topham,	93.33
E. P. Hirst Co.,	1,540.65
C. F. Delano,	240.37
William Livesey,	44.00
William Livesay,	44.00
B. F. Cottelle,	3.50
George Pierce,	3.20
Valentine's Machine Shop,	2.60
Herman H. Hathaway,	18.59

A. P. Foster,	3.12
A. W. Perkins & Co.,	69.92
Benjamin Bates,	14.40
William H. Delano,	3.31
Wood-Brightman Co.,	50.88
E. L. Bryant,	396.00
Charles Lumbard,	97.75
Briggs & Beckman,	2.30
A. Leonard Bliss,	305.32
F. E. Earle Co.,	853.00
Clifton A. Hacker,	2.00
E. V. Hazzard,	190.36
Byron M. Pardee,	60.60
Charles F. Wing & Co.,	1.05
M. L. Bisbee,	1.50
New Bedford Boiler & Machine Co.,	2.81

\$4,510.89

New Equipment.

Singer Sewing Machine Co.,	\$24.00
Edward E. Babb Co.,	20.63
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	231.10

\$275.73

Health.

Charles E. P. Thompson, M. D.,	\$75.00
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Miscellaneous.

M. Amarel,	\$56.89
Adams Express Co.,	25.40
The Charles F. Wing Co.,	2.55
Mrs. Charles F. Prior,	133.32
D. N. Kelley,	.70
William F. Nye,	.70
Myra D. Crowell,	18.38
F. S. Brightman,	1.38
High School lunch department,	9.20

Joseph Damas,	5.30
Sullivan & Crocker,	24.65
Mercury Publishing Co.,	27.41
Massachusetts State Prison,	4.07
The Fairhaven Star,	9.25
B. F. Nickerson,	.75
A. E. Wordell,	6.50
Milton Bradley Co.,	.32
F. W. Fraits,	5.75
Calvin Delano,	66.00
G. H. Carpenter,	4.70
Frank Costa,	7.50
John H. Plunkett,	6.00
C. R. Whitcher,	75.00
Almira Fuller,	16.00
Sylvia A. Wilson,	8.00
Edna K. Russell,	13.00
C. F. Cushing,	48.60
Browne Pharmacy,	2.10
Blair Sign Co.,	7.00
Fairhaven Light Diffusing Co.,	1.05
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	\$587.47

HIGH SCHOOL EXPENDITURES.

(Itemized))

Office Expenses.

Oliver H. Toothaker,	\$35.21
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Teachers.

Albert B. Kimball,	\$1,440.00
George C. Dickey,	935.00
Ralph H. Tukey,	1,035.00
Charles H. Woodbury,	735.00
Alvin J. Long,	1,580.00
Gladys S. Jennison,	1,250.00
Eunice E. Strong	1,040.00
Josephine L. Crowell,	275.00
Mable Potter,	394.50
Ethel M. Perry,	500.00
Winifred C. Baker,	60.00
Miriam D. Thomas,	490.00
Helen E. Wight,	440.00
Susan P. Gifford,	820.00
Ruby R. Dodge,	840.00
Emma A. Coombs,	920.00
Jennie L. Winslow,	600.00
Ruth Cady,	400.00
Bertha S. Harris,	540.00
Grace M. Clogston,	360.00
E. Lucile Pierce,	297.50
Grace Risser,	157.50
Anna Corey,	340.00
Anna B. Trowbridge,	100.00
Eunice A. Randall,	201.00
Mary U. Yaffee,	160.00
Edward J. Hines,	326.25
David S. Parker,	360.00
James Parkinson,	297.50
Hazel C. Carter,	531.25

Total,	
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\$17,425.50

Text Books.

Gregg Publishing Co.,	\$24.43
D. C. Heath & Co.,	23.46
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	89.89
Ginn & Co.,	15.73
The Macmillan Co.,	12.64
H. S. Hutchinson Co.,	1.48
C. W. Thompson & Co.,	9.19
The Independent,	4.00
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.,	12.18
Allyn & Bacon,	10.00
The Chemical Rubber Co.,	1.75
American Book Co.,	46.44
Lloyd Adams Noble,	3.30
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Total,	\$254.49

Supplies.

Remington Typewriter Co.,	\$29.58
A. E. Coffin Press,	96.65
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	91.44
Singer Sewing Machine Co.,	1.44
Charles S. Bush Co.,	3.65
F. S. Brightman,	7.95
Allen Co.,	17.02
George H. Morrill Co.,	4.53
Thorp & Martin,	1.85
The Fairhaven Star,	77.12
J. L. Hammett Co.,	1,298.64
Golding Mfg. Co.,	5.06
Sullivan & Crocker,	3.25
H. M. Sanders Co.,	2.56
The Browne Pharmacy,	1.55
H. O. Rugg,	4.08
University of Chicago Book Store,	1.24
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.,	17.34
E. C. Stetson,	19.98

Greene & Wood,	29.03
E. Anthony & Sons,	12.75
H. S. Hutchinson,	16.90
Belcher & Loomis Hardware Co.,	2.30
American Type Founders,	3.40
Rand, McNally & Co.,	12.55
Steiger-Dudgeon Co.,	1.05
Office Appliance Co.,	7.85
Ginn & Co.,	132.40
Library Bureau,	53.86
DeWolf & Vincent,	15.85
Milton Bradley Co.,	4.61
New Bedford Dry Goods Co.,	.42
Chandler & Barber,	5.51
Palmer & Parker,	22.66
The Prang Co.,	33.72
William B. Weeks,	12.54
Frost & Adams,	50.01
A. Leonard Bliss,	3.00
N. P. Hayes Co.,	8.40
McIntosh Publishing Co.,	5.89
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	21.44
A. B. Dick Co.,	59.70
Briggs & Beckman,	.87
A. N. Palmer Co.,	2.04
Benj. H. Sanborn,	1.10

Total,	\$2,204.78
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Fuel.

City Coal Co.,	\$640.06
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Janitors' Salaries.

William B. Weeks,	\$1,659.96
Pardon A. Howland,	910.00
David K. Snow,	910.00
George F. Tripp,	560.00
Arthur Dean,	280.00

Total,	\$4,319.96
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Light, Water, Janitors' Supplies, Etc.

Percy L. Bragdon,	\$5.00
Parson Steam Laundry,	4.43
Emma Eldred,	300.00
Alice Scott,	300.00
New Bedford Gas & Edison Light Co.,	331.76
Frank J. Jameson,	9.25
Akin-Denison Co.,	8.90
A. W. Harris Oil Co.,	41.28
A. Leonard Bliss,	5.95
Elmer Stevens,	27.53
William F. Nye,	6.60
H. I. Dallman Co.,	21.56
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	50.11
C. J. Becker,	16.10
N. P. Hayes,	10.27
Fairhaven Water Co.,	185.20
Henry C. Doughty,	10.50
Orient Spray Co.,	21.00

Total,	\$1,355.44
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Repairs.

A. Leonard Bliss,	\$21.52
Wood-Brightman Co.,	12.25
Babbitt Steam Specialty,	82.63
E. P. Hirst,	15.96
F. E. Earle Co.,	74.21
C. F. Delano,	18.51
N. P. Hayes,	6.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	12.66
Narragansett Machine Co.,	6.46
Office Appliance Co.,	7.54
C. F. Cushing,	1.00
Murray, Florist,	104.00
Greene & Wood,	70.68
H. M. C. Cutlery Co.,	27.00
Valentine's Machine Shop,	1.25

Remington Typewriter Co.,	4.05
Herman H. Hathaway,	17.83
James Parkinson,	60.40
Albert B. Cook,	121.98
Ward-Leonard Electric Co.,	17.25
F. W. Fraits,	1.20
Ledder & Probst, Inc.,	9.55

Total,	\$1,034.45
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Health.

C. E. P. Thompson, M. D.,	\$120.00
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Sundries.

A. B. Kimball,	\$78.27
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	98.14
C. F. Delano,	1.85
M. Amarel,	12.27
Adams Express Co.,	5.87
Parsons Steam Laundry,	35.36
Elmer Stevens,	54.18
C. L. Bennett,	8.16
The Maybeth Shop,	21.35
New Bedford Rubber Co.,	1.45
The Fairhaven Star,	5.30
Novelty Press,	1.75
Wright & Ditson,	11.00
Thos. Hersom & Co.,	37.50
High School lunch department,	11.00
Calvin Delano,	187.10
William B. Weeks,	8.36
Hilda Keavney,	2.10
Emma A. Coombs,	2.00
Frank M. Metcalf,	3.25
William B. West,	10.00
Myrtle Nye,	2.25
Murray, Florist,	10.00
Patrick Sullivan,	3.50

Total,	\$612.01
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1919

PEASE FUND.

Receipts:		Expenditures:	
Balance from 1918		Transferred, miscellan-	
Dividends to Dec. 31, 1919	\$343 92	eous	\$343 92
	\$343 92		\$343 92

EDMUND E. ANTHONY, JR., SCHOOL FUND.

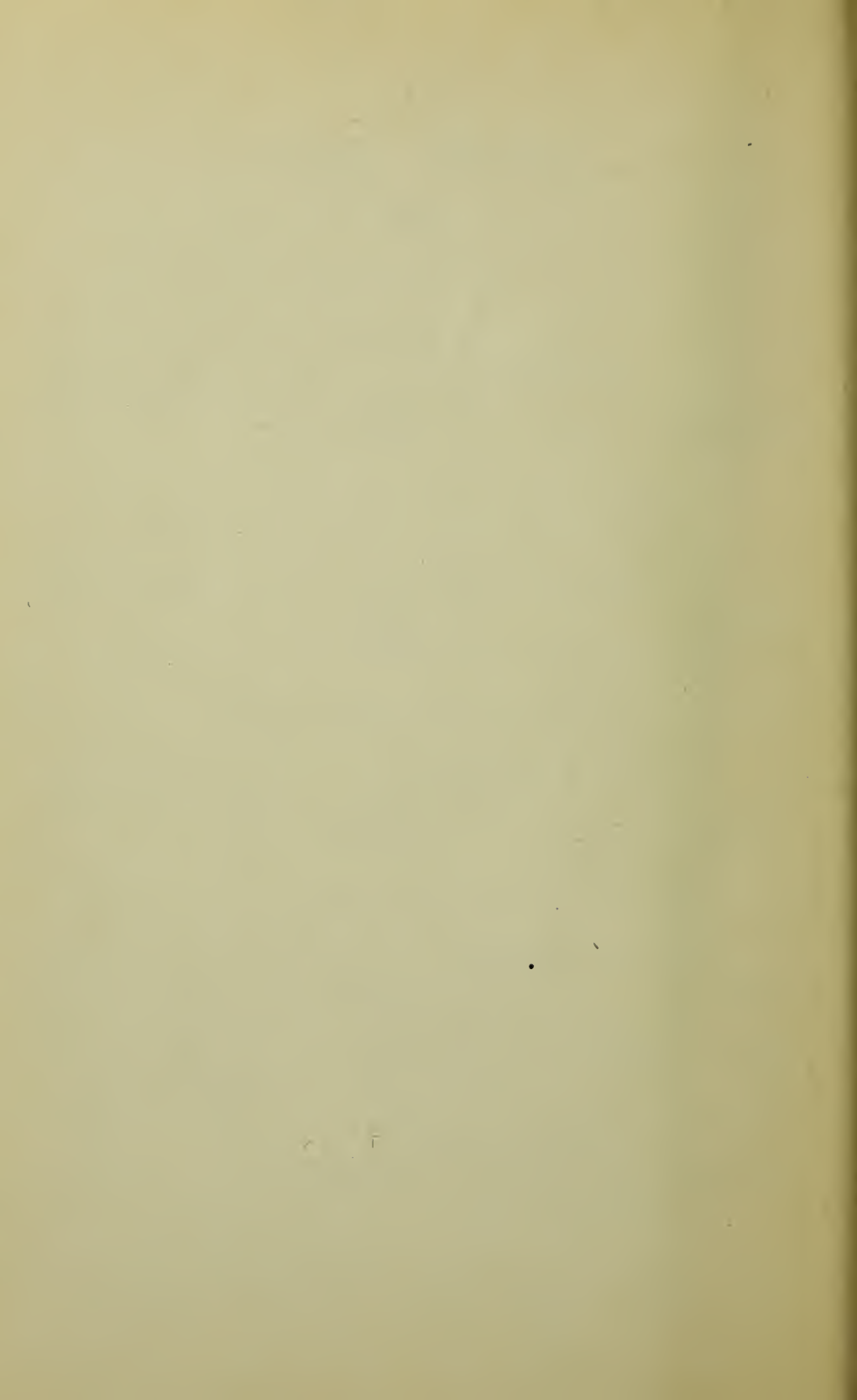
Receipts:		Expenditures:	
Balance from 1918		Transferred, miscellan-	
Dividends to Dec. 31, 1919	\$455 06	eous	\$455 06
	\$455 06		\$455 06

H. H. ROGERS TRUST FUND

Receipts:		Expenditures:	
Balance from 1918		Transferred, Teachers'	
Dividends to Dec. 31, 1919	\$4,624 12	Salaries	\$4,624 12
	\$4,624 12		\$4,624 12

PUBLIC FUNDS

Receipts:		Expenditures:	
Balance from 1918	\$1,210 90	General Control	\$2,451 45
Appropriation, 1919	37,000 00	Instruction	28,179 29
Rogers' Fund, 1919	4,624 12	Operation of School	
Edmund E. Anthony Fund	455 06	Plant	6,539 22
Pease Fund, 1919	343 92	Repairs and Equipment	4,786 62
County Dog Fund, 1919	751 96	Auxiliary	2,180 00
General School Fund, 1919	2,400 00	Miscellaneous	587 47
Miscellaneous receipts, 1919:	38 56		\$44,724 05
		Balance on hand	2,100 47
	\$46,824 52		\$46,824 52



THE
MILLCENT LIBRARY

FAIRHAVEN, MASSACHUSETTS

ANNUAL REPORT

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

1919

TRUSTEES OF THE MILLICENT LIBRARY.

Lyman C. Bauldry	George B. Luther
William E. Benjamin	Harry L. Pope
Edward L. Besse	Henry H. Rogers
Mrs. Cara R. Broughton	Mrs. Genevieve P. Stillman
Morris R. Brownell	George H. Tripp
Miss Sara B. Clarke	Thomas A. Tripp
William B. Gardner	Mrs. Eliza C. White
Mrs. Mary B. Winsor	

Officers and Standing Committees, 1919-1920

Henry H. Rogers, President
 William B. Gardner, Vice-President
 George B. Luther, Treasurer

The Librarian Acts as Secretary of the Board.

Book Committee—

Mr. Rogers, Mr. Gardner, Mr. G. H. Tripp, Miss
 Clarke, Mrs. Winsor.

Finance Committee—

Mr. Luther, Mr. Benjamin, Mr. Besse, Mrs.
 Broughton, Mrs. White.

House Committee—

Mr. T. A. Tripp, Mr. Bauldry, Mr. Brownell,
 Mr. Pope, Mrs. Stillman.

FORMER TRUSTEES.

Miss Ellen H. Akin,	1893-1919	Don C. Stevens,	1893-1901
Edmund Anthony, Jr.	1902	George W. Stevens,	1893-1908
Mrs. Sarah C. Anthony,	1893-1912	George H. Taber,	1893-1901
James L. Gillingham,	1893-1912	Job C. Tripp,	1902-1917
Frederick B. Lyman,	1904-1909	Charles W. White, Jr.	1902-1904
Mrs. Lizzie F. Nye,	1893-1919	Walter P. Winsor,	1893-1911
Henry H. Rogers,	1893-1909		

LIBRARY STAFF.

GALEN W. HILL.....Librarian
 FLORA H. LEIGHTON.....In charge of circulation
 EDA M. PERRY.....Children's Librarian
 ANNIE THOMPSON.....Cataloger
 FRED PFLUG.....Page
 STANLEY STROM.....Page
 *WILLIAM O. SAWYER.....Janitor
 GEORGE TABER.....Janitor

OXFORD BRANCH.

ALBIN SILVA.....In charge
 FRED PFLUG.....Assistant

*Resigned June, 1919.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN FOR THE YEAR 1919.

To the Trustees of The Millicent Library :

Under ordinary circumstances a business house or manufacturing concern will usually take the period of its greatest prosperity as the time to develop its plant and to increase the scope of its business. It is not ordinarily a time for curtailment or decreased production.

The Millicent Library finds itself at the close of the year 1919 enjoying the largest circulation of books in its history, with more people using the library for reference purposes than ever before, yet not only unable to develop its possibilities to their fullest extent, but even obliged to curtail on book purchases, magazine subscriptions and building repairs in order to keep within its income. This condition is the only drawback to the satisfaction felt in the year's report of work.

The past year has seen the conclusion of most of the special activities which occupied the attention of libraries during the war. Though we sent about 300 books overseas in the spring and 500 magazines to one base hospital, our active war service ceased with the closing of the Fairhaven Naval Reserve Station in April, and the subsequent return of the books loaned the sailors for their barracks library.

Registration.

Nine hundred twenty-nine persons have taken out borrowers' cards during the year, bringing the total registration to 2,147. Of this total probably at least 1,600 are active or occasional users of the library.

Circulation of Books.

The home use of books from the main library during the year was 55,756. This number exceeds by nearly 4,000 books the circulation in the year 1894, the first after the

library was opened and heretofore the record year. Adding the circulation from the Oxford Branch, the total figures are 63,713, which is over 9,000 ahead of the record of any former year. The gain runs proportionately through all classes of reading and furnishes evidence of the popularity of the library and its usefulness to the community at large. The effect of this increase is very noticeable at the charging desk. The work is more continuous and practically no opportunity is given the attendant at the desk to engage in other work. This is especially the case in the afternoon and early evening.

We are also outgrowing our charging desk equipment. A larger and more modern desk is badly needed. It should have the file of cards for books out in a sunken tray in front to prevent the constant turning to discharge books and shelves inside for undischarged books, largely eliminating the possibility of books getting to the shelves not discharged and more room for the necessary desk supplies.

Accessions.

We have added to the library 1240 volumes and withdrawn 224, making a net gain of 1016. The total number of books in the library is 25,659.

About 40 per cent. of the accessions were children's books purchased partly as replacements in the children's room and partly to supply the material for classroom libraries in the schools. We were fortunate in buying these books at good discounts and before a very general increase in prices. The number of new titles purchased for the adult collection was much smaller than usual. Our book appropriation is hardly adequate to the increased demand for books but is about the only item in the budget where curtailment is possible.

By way of economy we have discontinued twelve magazines formerly subscribed for and reduced the number of magazines usually bound.

Children's Room and Work with Schools.

The work in the children's room has been unusually heavy this year, the circulation amounting to 17,505, a figure 340 in excess of any previous year's circulation. The juvenile circulation at the Oxford Branch was 3306, making a total of over 20,000 books used by the children of Fairhaven the past year. According to the school census compiled during the summer there were 1593 children of school age in the town in 1919. Taking this figure, though it doubtless included many over the age of those who are accustomed to use the children's room, our circulation "per child" is 13, an exceptional percentage in any library.

The juvenile collection was increased by 606 books, making the total number of books in this department 3099. As mentioned under the head of Accessions, a large proportion of the new books were for the school room libraries which were furnished to fifteen teachers last winter. The books for these collections were selected from the graded lists of reading prepared by the library.

Miss Perry has continued her work in library instruction to the seventh and eighth grades. The results of this work have been highly commended by superintendent, principal and the teachers. We have also loaned to teachers in Fairhaven schools 1193 books for reference use in addition to the classroom libraries referred to and also 1078 mounted pictures and clippings. Many teachers have kept on special shelves at the library books for outside or supplementary reading in connection with school work.

Oxford Branch.

Mr. Silva reports a total circulation of 7957 books which is a gain of nearly 1100 over any previous year and which is over ten per cent. of the total circulation of the library. The average circulation per evening is 52. Books have been changed once during the year and a new arrangement of the shelves was effected during the summer.

The steady increase in use continues to justify the establishment of the branch and goes to prove that it has been welcomed by many people in the north section of the town.

Building and Grounds.

There have been very few repairs on the building this year, due rather to the necessity of living within our income than because there has been no need. The floors, particularly in the children's room, the stack and about the loan desk are in bad condition. The only adequate treatment is deep scraping and refinishing at heavy expense or some sort of floor covering such as cork carpet where it could be used.

The need of a new charging desk has already been referred to and it will not be long before a new set of chairs will be needed for the reading and children's rooms.

The lawn on the east side of the building was turned over this fall preparatory to seeding it down anew in the spring. It has been in bad condition for several years due to winterkilling and the ravages of worms.

During the fall the library offered as a loan to the Fairhaven Colonial Club one of the pieces of statuary given to the library by Mrs. Franklin Delano. The loan was accepted and this fine piece of sculpture in marble is now suitably located for exhibition in the parlor of the Coggeshall Memorial.

Personal.

During the year, the Board of Trustees lost by death two of its members, Miss Ellen H. Akın and Mrs. Lizzie F. Nye. Both had been members of the board since the founding of the library, always active and devoted to its welfare. The vacancies were filled by the election to the Board of Mrs. Eliza C. White in September and Mrs. Genevieve P. Stillman in December.

In June, Mr. W. O. Sawyer who had given good serv-

ice as janitor for thirteen years, resigned to take another position and Mr. George Taber was appointed in his place.

Meetings of the American Library Association, the Massachusetts Library Club and the Cape Cod Library Club have been attended by the librarian or members of the staff during the year.

In conclusion all the members of the staff express to the Board of Trustees their sincere appreciation of the encouragement given their work.

Respectfully submitted,

GALEN W. HILL, Librarian.

January 13, 1920.

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Accessions, Withdrawals and Circulation

	ACCESSIONS				With- drawals	CIRCULATION					
	Adults		Juvenile			Main Library		Oxford Branch			
	New titles	Added copies and volumes	New titles	Added copies and volumes		Adults	Juvenile	Adults	Juvenile		
										Total	
Fiction	194	78	41	246	63	27	27973	11293	2625	1849	43740
*Periodicals (unbound)							3718	267	1727		5712
†General Works	3	6					100	242			342
Philosophy	11	1	1	1			163	33	1	1	398
Religion	7	1		10			101	115	2	23	281
Sociology	46	6	9	64	3	6	588	947	14	194	1743
Language	3	8	4	33	2	7	100	928	2	111	1141
Science	4	2	4	13	1	1	236	325	17	90	668
Useful Arts	74	8	7	9	1		929	330	54	122	1435
Fine Arts	24	16	1	4	4	1	427	427	30	97	1107
Music	1	2	1	11	4		553	130	3	4	488
Literature	29	22	8	54	4	5	1029	1227	24	259	2539
Travel	15	3	13	33	5	1	709	621	43	266	1639
History	38	12	8	25	93	1	1188	449	99	189	1925
Biography	19	1	4	2	2	2	513	171	10	101	795
Total	468	166	101	505	173 51 224		38251	17505	4651 7957	3306	63713

*Not accessioned

†Includes unbound magazines

.Circulation per capita (Pop. Est. 7,000) 9

STATISTICAL REPORT.
THE MILLICENT LIBRARY, FAIRHAVEN, MASS.
Annual Report for Year Ending December 31, 1919.

Population served (State Census 1915).....	6,277
Terms of use: Free for lending and reference.	
Total number of agencies: Central library; one branch; one school deposit station; one Naval Re- serve Force station.	
Days open during year (Central library).....	365
Hours open each week for lending.....	84
Hours open each week for reading.....	84

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Vols. at beginning of year.....	22,099	2,544	24,643
Vols. added by purchase.....	601	606	1,207
Vols. added by gift.....	30		30
Vols. added by binding material not other- wise counted.....	3		3
Vols. lost and withdrawn.....	173	51	224
Vols. at close of year.....	22,560	3,099	25,659
Pamphlets, pictures, etc., added.....	No record kept		
Vols. of fiction loaned.....	30,598	13,142	43,740
Total volumes loaned.....	42,902	20,811	63,713
Home use from agencies.....	No records filed		
Other circulation (pictures, clippings, etc.).....			1,625
Number of borrowers registered during year.....			929
Total number of borrowers.....			2,147
Registration period, three years.			

	Titles	Copies
Number of periodicals currently received.....	96	108
Financial statistics omitted.		

